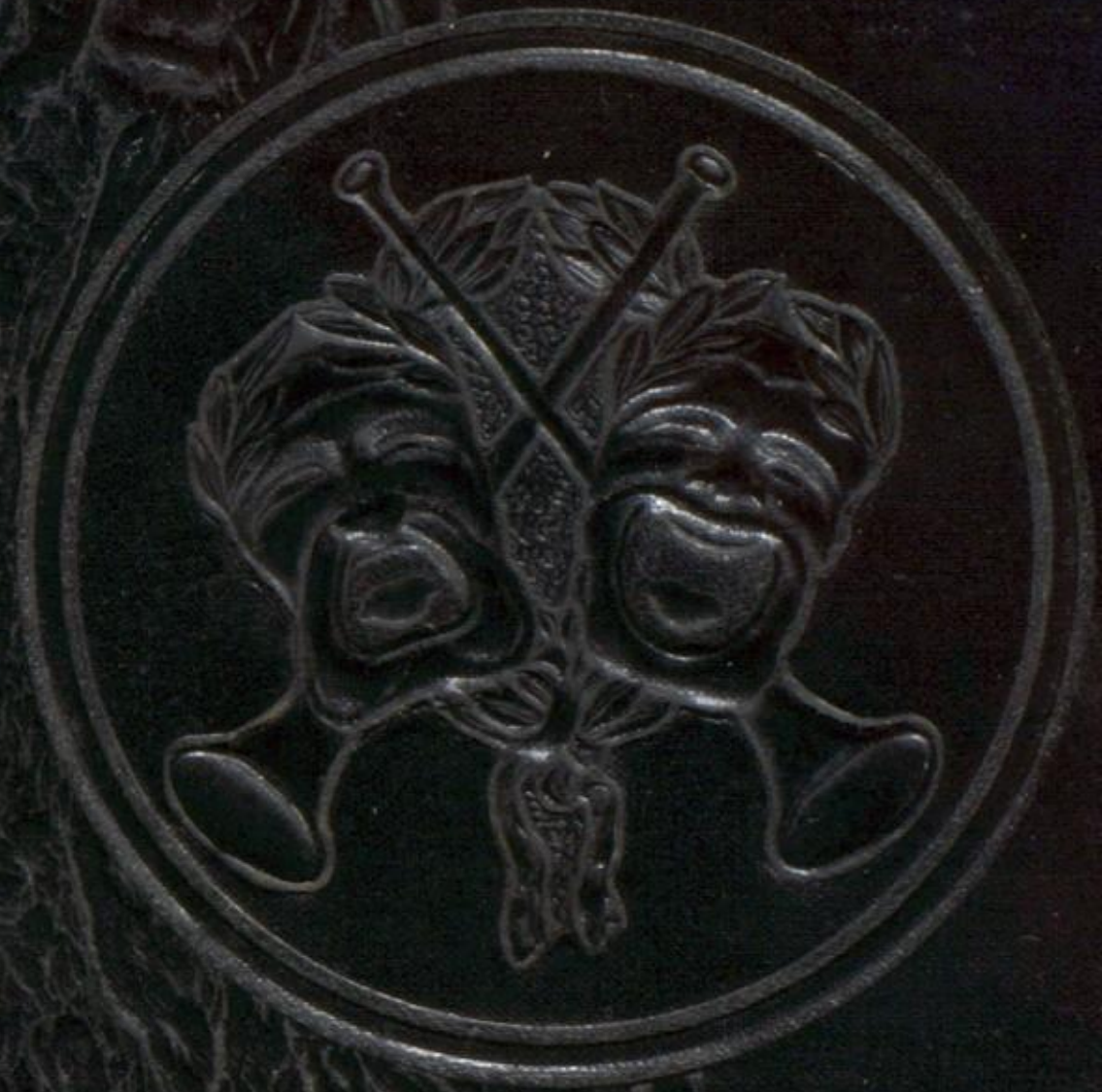


NED NICHOLS



Alumni

1950



NED:

LOTS OF LUCK TO A
SWELL FELLOW AND
TRACK MAN.

BILL GANNON

NED SEE YOU
ON THE MILE NEXT YEAR
I AM WATCHING THE STRIPES
TO NED

That's all food.
Take a look at page 9.

Dear Ned,
5.5. was fun, hope
we don't fight next
year. Be good -
careful

Dear Ned,
I'm tired of
all that corny
stuff about good
luck so just have
a helluva good time
for the rest of the year
you have in school and
you won't go wrong.
Dick
Pahler

DAVE
TAKE IT EASY
WITH THAT BEAUTIFUL
GIRL YOU'VE
GOT THERE.
"BYE" 52?

HOFFMANN
Good luck to a
swell fellow. Have
fun in the future.
Joan Wilson

Dear Ned,
Good luck
to you and
your future.
I hope you
are a "jock".
Make it the
best year
ever in
your life.
"Jock".

Ned,
Have fun as a
jockey, I didn't.
Practice a little and
you'll be good.
Phil

Ned,
Be in the minstrel
next year. It was fun.
Keep up the good work and
stay with Dawn. She's one swell
girl.

Diane Bowen '53

Dear Ned,
Just wish it's
not your last
year.
Like a
handful
of
love

THE 1950 ALEMBIC

presents

"Life in M. H. S."



A PLAY IN THREE ACTS

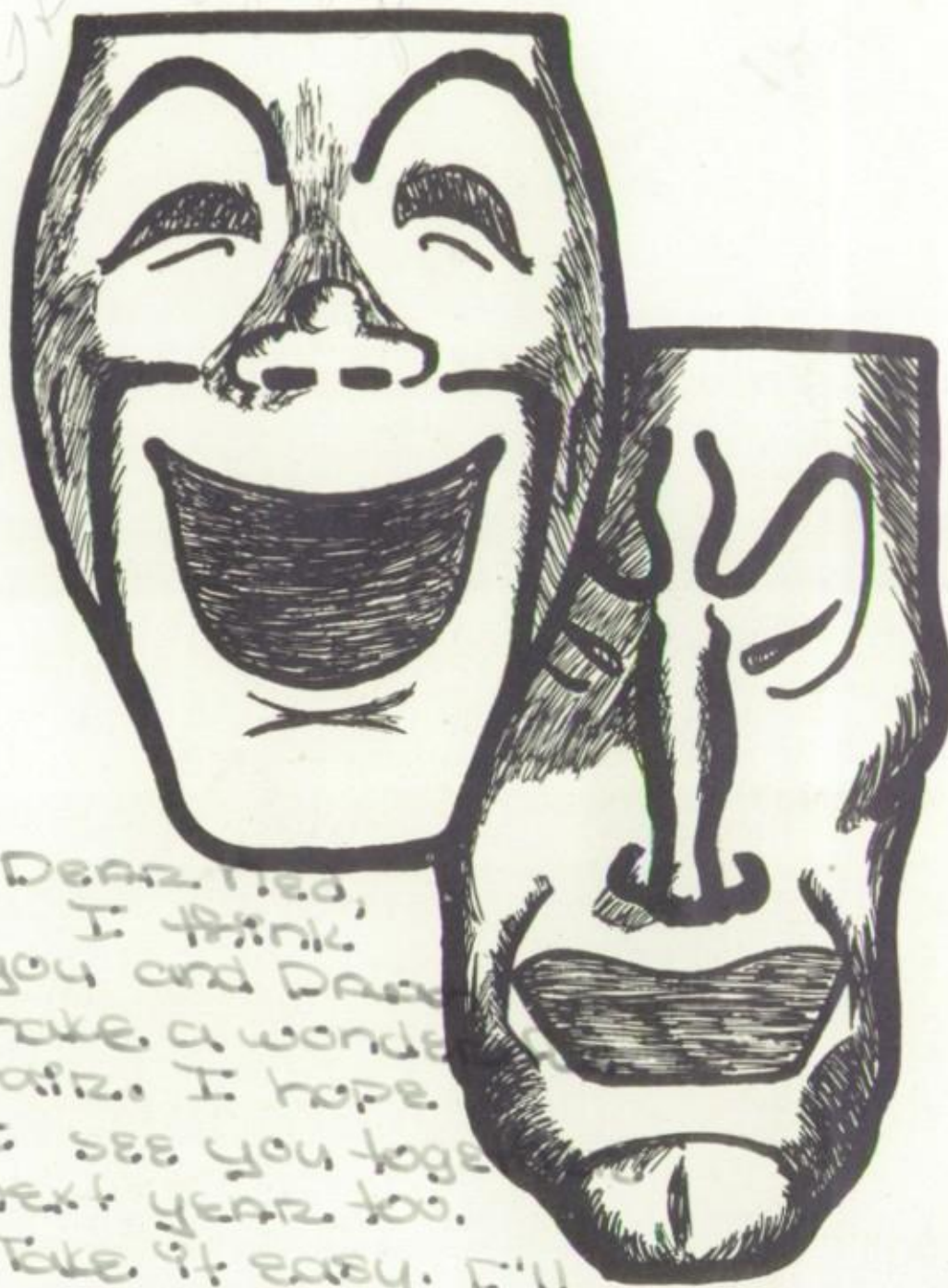
THE 1950



THE SETTING: MADISON HIGH

A L E M B I C

*Strange coincidence
showed they got your page.
picture for this page. have
you're quite the way. have
faced. any way. summer
himself. Marty.*



Dear Ned,
I think
you and Dana
make a wonder-
ful pair. I hope
I see you together
next year too.
Take it easy. I'll
see you around - Love, me!

A PRODUCTION OF
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SCHOOL, MADISON, N. J.



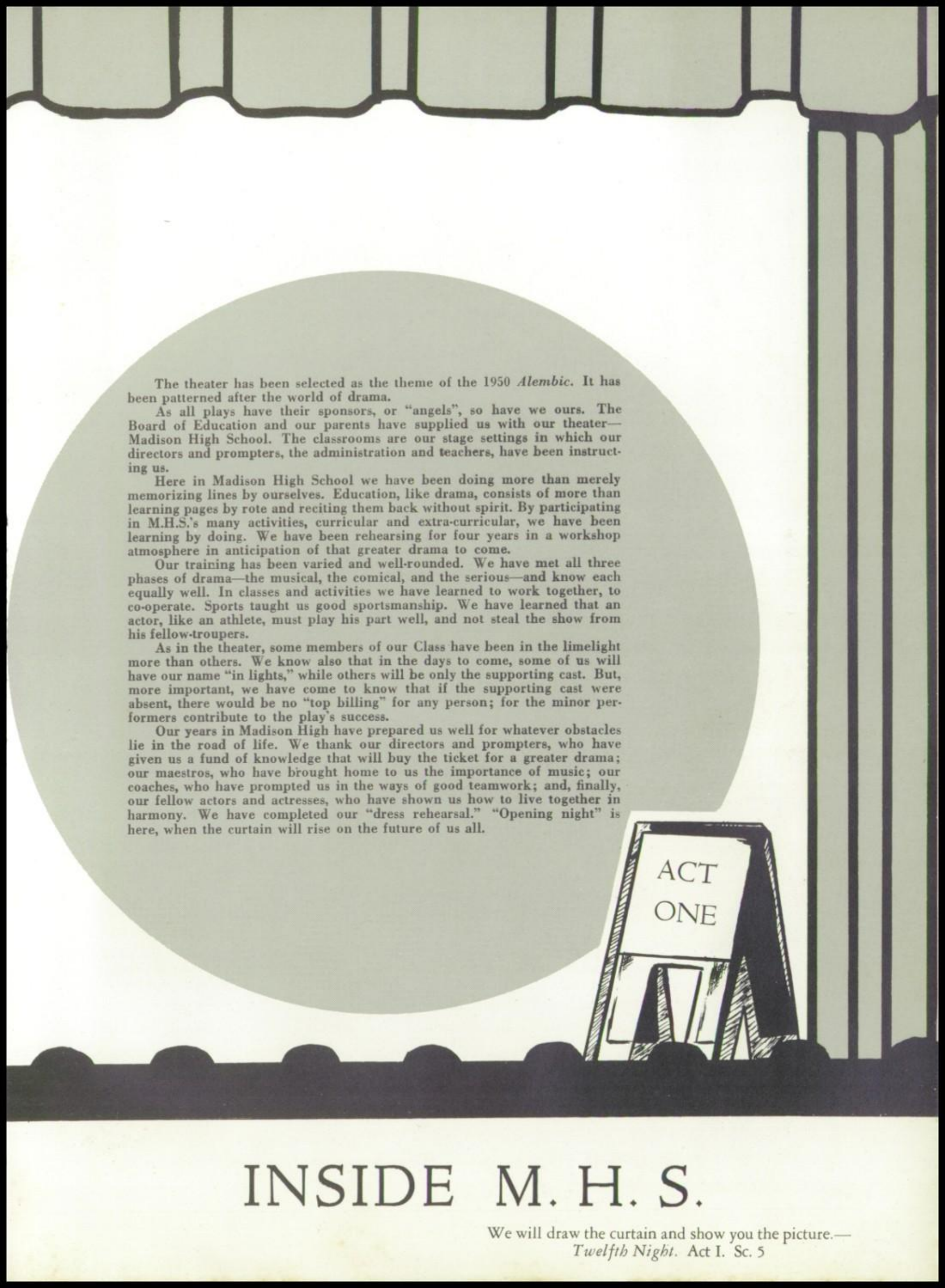
Roy S. Lockhart

At this time the Class of 1950 is proud to announce the name of the faculty member to whom this, our yearbook, is dedicated.

Many of us will recall how he assisted us in adjusting ourselves to the new environment and problems presented during our high school years. His sound advice and friendly attitude will long be remembered.

It is with sincere appreciation and satisfaction that we, each and every Senior, do dedicate this *ALEMBIC* to Mr. Roy S. Lockhart.

DEDICATION



The theater has been selected as the theme of the 1950 *Alembic*. It has been patterned after the world of drama.

As all plays have their sponsors, or "angels", so have we ours. The Board of Education and our parents have supplied us with our theater—Madison High School. The classrooms are our stage settings in which our directors and prompters, the administration and teachers, have been instructing us.

Here in Madison High School we have been doing more than merely memorizing lines by ourselves. Education, like drama, consists of more than learning pages by rote and reciting them back without spirit. By participating in M.H.S.'s many activities, curricular and extra-curricular, we have been learning by doing. We have been rehearsing for four years in a workshop atmosphere in anticipation of that greater drama to come.

Our training has been varied and well-rounded. We have met all three phases of drama—the musical, the comical, and the serious—and know each equally well. In classes and activities we have learned to work together, to co-operate. Sports taught us good sportsmanship. We have learned that an actor, like an athlete, must play his part well, and not steal the show from his fellow-trouper.

As in the theater, some members of our Class have been in the limelight more than others. We know also that in the days to come, some of us will have our name "in lights," while others will be only the supporting cast. But, more important, we have come to know that if the supporting cast were absent, there would be no "top billing" for any person; for the minor performers contribute to the play's success.

Our years in Madison High have prepared us well for whatever obstacles lie in the road of life. We thank our directors and prompters, who have given us a fund of knowledge that will buy the ticket for a greater drama; our maestros, who have brought home to us the importance of music; our coaches, who have prompted us in the ways of good teamwork; and, finally, our fellow actors and actresses, who have shown us how to live together in harmony. We have completed our "dress rehearsal." "Opening night" is here, when the curtain will rise on the future of us all.

ACT
ONE

INSIDE M. H. S.

We will draw the curtain and show you the picture.—
Twelfth Night. Act I. Sc. 5

THE SPONSORS



Mr. Torey Sabatini, Mr. Robert J. Nossaman, Mrs. Edith B. Smith, Mr. Earl J. Reddert, Supervising Principal Mr. Robert C. B. Parker, and Mr. Charles A. Siegfried seriously consider the many problems presented by Madison's large increase in school population.



Mrs. Luther Scull, elected February 14, 1950, to succeed Mrs. Edith B. Smith, resigned after nine years of service.

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

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Mr. Charles A. Siegfried



THE DIRECTORS



Robert C. B. Parker
Your high school is dedicated to helping you find that part for which you are best qualified and then assisting you prepare to play your part to the best of your ability. For he who finds the place where he can best use his own abilities will build a rich and satisfying life for himself and at the same time make his best contribution to the community. This opportunity to combine individual liberty and service to our nation is one of the unique opportunities that we enjoy in a free society.

Robert C. B. Parker,
Supervising Principal

The Class of 1950 has done well with its projects, is herewith completing one of its last—this yearbook. The book is interestingly conceived and will be a remembered expression of the effective way the class has worked. Since the theme is in the tradition of the theater, we may applaud this way of work with a bit of theatrical lore. There persists a story, variously stated, about someone expressing surprise that a great actor had accepted a minor part in a play. The actor's response was to the effect that when a good actor plays it, no role is minor.

Ward Shoemaker,
Principal

"All the world's a stage, and all the men and women merely players."

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B.A., Montclair State
Teachers College
Dean of Girls and Latin

CHARLES L. PENNEY
M.A., Columbia University
Guidance Director, Science



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Mathematics



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GEORGE W. BURROUGHS
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HENRY JAMES DAWSON
School Custodian



JOHN M. CRUMN
School Custodian

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Catherine B. Vail
Substitute:
MRS. CATHERINE B. VAIL



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Class Adviser
MRS. ROSEMARY K. PURSELL



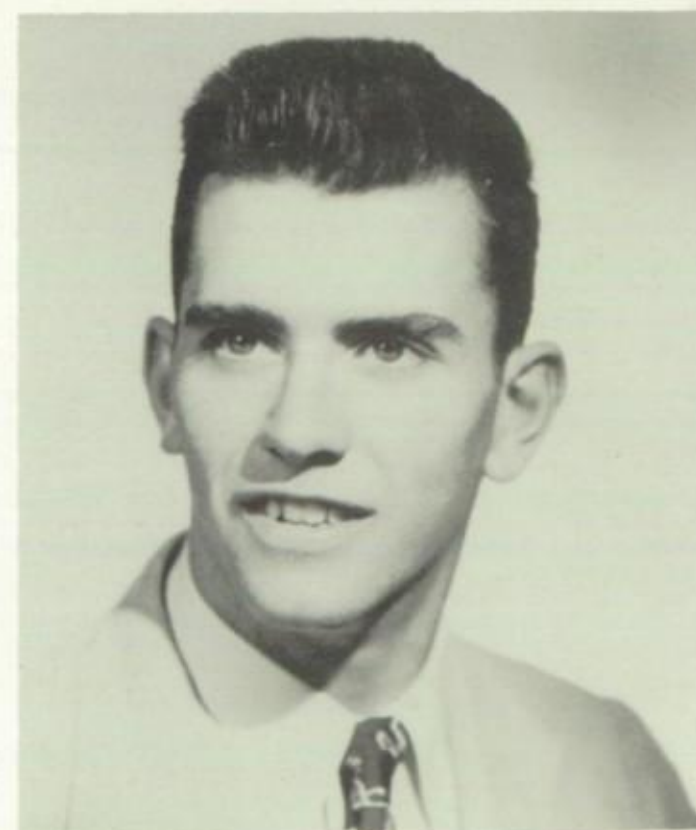
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AL SMITH



KAREN ANN ALLEN

Noted for her waist - length blonde hair . . . has a wonderful sense of humor . . . likes sewing, playing the violin, and reading . . . gifted art student . . . we predict success as a fashion designer.



THOMAS JOHN ALLEN

Likable . . . happy . . . never silent . . . generally known as Hook . . . belongs to the National Guard . . . is an avid basketball fan . . . usually seen flying too low in his Plymouth.



ANTHONY VINCENT ALLOCCO

Sheik . . . known for his wavy brown hair and deep dimples . . . has a pleasant personality . . . good at bowling and basketball . . . Yankee fan . . . likes to flirt . . . seen with Andy, Si, and the fellows.



Karen



Tom



Anthony



Here is everything advantageous to life.—

Shakespeare's The Tempest. Act II, Sc. 1

Bob Mittl is typical of hundreds of students who are privileged to open the door to a wealth of opportunities in M. H. S.



DOROTHY LOUISE APGAR

Smart-looking Dottie . . . has beautiful brown eyes . . . is efficient and practical . . . likes horseback riding . . . drives a beautiful blue Buick convertible . . . we wish her success as a secretary for the F. B. I.



PHYLLIS MARY ARMSTRONG

Phyl—any teacher's pride and joy . . . gives the appearance of being quiet . . . but is she? . . . whiz in P. A. D. . . . likes to travel . . . fond of Chinese food . . . will be a success in anything she undertakes.



JOAN MARLENE BARKER

Our sophisticated blonde . . . has beautiful clothes . . . and many interests in West Orange . . . likes low-slung convertibles and driving . . . patron of the Hawaiian Palms . . . looks forward to a future as a buyer.



To be a well-favoured man is the gift of fortune; but to write and read comes by nature.—
 Shakespeare's *Much Ado About Nothing*. Act III, Sc. 3
 Miss Brewster guides Seniors in literary appreciation and expression.



Dot



Phyllis



Joan



BETTY ANNE BASSI

Sweet, attractive, blue-eyed Betty . . . Treasurer of the Library Club . . . active member of the Spanish Club . . . enjoys the movies . . . after graduation she hopes to be a private secretary.



JOHN RICHARD BAYLISS

Hawk . . . another of the Ag boys . . . reserved . . . pals around with Cacky and Sheik . . . his plans for the future are not too definite . . . but he'll do well in the occupation he chooses.



JULIANNE MEADE BLAKE

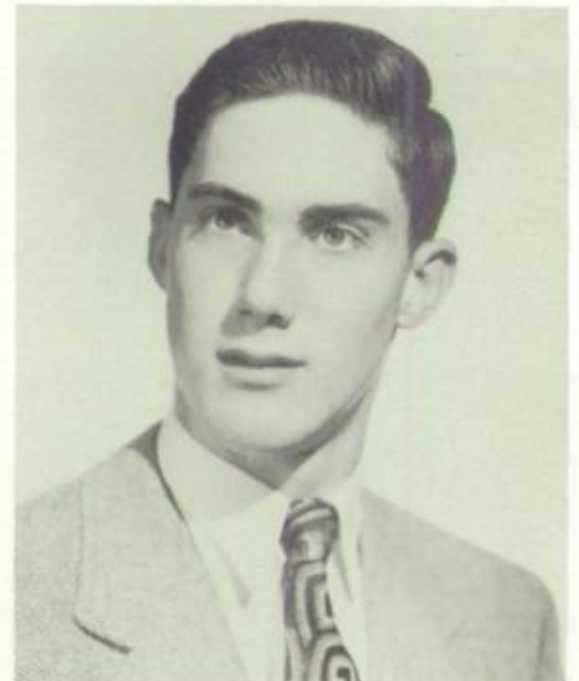
Sophisticated lady . . . noted for her big brown eyes and short curly hair . . . can be serious one minute, laughing the next . . . member of Green Door Players . . . plans to major in social studies.



Betty

ROBERT CLARK BRADLEY

Big Bob . . . an outstanding basketball player . . . very popular with the Senior boys . . . President of the Key Club . . . an asset to the Madison football team . . . plans to be a mechanical engineer.



Dick



Julie

BEVERLY ANN BRINKERHOFF

Capable and mature . . . Bev never talks about people in an unkindly fashion . . . has worked hard and well for M. H. S. these last four years . . . very talented artistically . . . will be a fashion designer.



Bob



Bev





ALICE LORRAINE BROWNE

Smiling, attractive Tweedie . . . President of the History Club this year . . . an active member of the G. A. A. . . . soprano in the Girls' Chorus and Choir . . . quiet . . . will make a successful history teacher.



HENDRIK JACOB BRUIN

Pleasant . . . shy . . . nice-looking . . . travels around with the boys from Florham Park . . . interested in radio and television . . . wants to be a mechanic . . . helps Eckhardt and Smith operate at maximum efficiency.



JOSEPH THOMAS CACCAVALE

Caccy . . . great fan of boxing and baseball . . . watches matches at Pompton Lakes . . . likes roller-skating . . . favorite pastime: loafing . . . no immediate plans for the future . . . good luck in whatever you do.



MARY GRACE CITRO

Curly-headed, pint-sized Cit . . . cute . . . has a friendly personality . . . and a nice smile . . . seen with Betty and Nancy . . . conscientious worker . . . Mrs. White's dependable secretary . . . hasn't planned her future yet.



Alice



JOHN WHERRY CLARK

Noted for his curly brown hair and pleasing dimples . . . always ready with a cheerful smile . . . likes horses, model airplanes, and Lionel trains . . . good luck with Navy plans in the future.



Henry



Joe



Mary



John



CAROLYN ANN CRANE

Carrie . . . has a good head on her shoulders . . . likes P. A. D. . . . active in sports . . . a wonderful girl to know . . . sensible and dependable . . . is deciding between being a secretary or social worker.



NANCY JEAN CUNNINGHAM

Nan's the professional model of the Senior Class . . . will probably go far in the dramatic world . . . loves New York night life and dancing . . . poised . . . exceptionally attractive . . . well-liked by everyone.



JOHN ROBERT CUTTER

Has a quiet, likeable personality . . . is seen with Ronnie and Joe . . . likes baseball . . . and hunting . . . a member of the Future Farmers of America, he plans to be a milk tester after graduation.



Carolyn



Nan



Jack



*Wouldst not play false,
And yet wouldst strongly win.—
Macbeth: Act I, Sc. 5*

M. H. S. realizes the importance of healthy bodies and good sportsmanship.



PETER A. D'ANDREA, JR.

Personality Pete . . . known for his crooning voice . . . be-bop fan . . . member of A Cappella Choir . . . Service Squad member . . . pals around with the Master Painters . . . talented in art . . . wants to be a commercial artist.



**FRANCIS CHRISTIAN
GRAYSON DASCOLL**

Always has a big smile and a laugh to go with it . . . adept at quick sketches . . . likes art and ship models . . . pals around with the Master Painters . . . hopes to be an architect.



**ELIZABETH VIOLET
DAWSON**

Polite . . . reserved . . . likes reading, the movies, and records . . . and eating . . . pals around with Frances and Eleanor . . . would like to be a nurse in the future . . . Good luck to you, Betty.



*My library
Was dukedom large enough.—
The Tempest. Act I, Sc. 2*



Pete



Francis



Betty



LOUISE DeANGELIS

Cheerful Lou-Lou . . . with the pretty hair and happy smile . . . likes reading and the movies . . . and a certain party . . . dislikes being called "Purchase" . . . bound to be a success as a typist.



MARY LUCILLE DEL GIUDICE

Never without a smile . . . seen with Mary Lou and Mac . . . active member of the Library Club, El Club Cervantes, and the G. A. A. . . . likes basketball, movies, and swimming . . . plans a future in clerical work.



MICHAEL PHILIP DELLA VECCHIA

Del . . . the strong, silent type . . . has an enviable complexion and deep, blue eyes . . . fond of sports, stamp-collecting, AND the Yankees . . . mechanically inclined . . . and will be a mechanic after graduation.



Louise

PETER THOMAS DE MARIA

Scully . . . known for his sharp clothes . . . and shuffling walk . . . an ardent F. F. A. member . . . Coach Wilson's star pitcher . . . likes basketball, too . . . usually seen with Miggs . . . his big ambition is to graduate.



Mary Lou



Mike

ANGELO JOSEPH DETARANTO

Even-tempered Irish . . . known for his ability to take a joke . . . good at blueprinting and fixing cars . . . likes model airplanes . . . faithful member of the A Cappella Choir . . . looks forward to being a draftsman.



Pete



Angelo

lots of luck in the future Angelo





MARY THERESSA DeVINE

A girl with a great gift for gab . . . fickle . . . likes dancing and redheads . . . never a dull moment in her presence . . . famous for those swell parties . . . a steady customer of Gil's.



WILLIAM JOHN DIACIK

Bill . . . a mighty mite . . . has a grand sense of humor . . . congenial . . . President of the Hi-Y . . . flash on the football field . . . likes skiing and other outdoor sports . . . will make a good athletic coach.



RICHARD LEONARD DIKOVICS

Likeable . . . with a pixie-like sense of humor . . . flying fan . . . wherever he goes, there goes his Model T . . . or should it be vice-versa? . . . likes to roller skate . . . will work in aviation.



JAMES FRANCIS DONATO

Friendly and well-liked Jim . . . a good sport . . . a three letter man . . . Captain of the Football Team . . . conscientious President of the Senior Class . . . plans to attend prep school after graduating.



Mary



CAROL LOUISE DOTY

Sweet . . . clever . . . noted for her giggle . . . loyal band member . . . has a grand sense of humor . . . made All State Orchestra . . . exceptional flute player . . . plans to go on in the field of music.



Bill



Dick



Jim



Carol

*Red, Good luck in your
future years at M.H.S.*

*Tom
Driscoll*



RALPH THOMAS DOUGLASS

Class comic . . . Tom's noted for taking a different girl out every week . . . student par excellence . . . good in dramatics . . . likes Spanish . . . drives a new Chevy . . . has an unforgettable laugh . . . will attend college.



RAYMOND THOMAS DRISCOLL

Tom has a friendly smile for everyone . . . noted for his ability as a comedian both on and off the stage . . . likes hunting, fishing, shooting, and eating . . . future successful business man.



MARY EMILY DURHAM

Pleasant . . . has pretty auburn hair and big brown eyes . . . enjoys skating and playing the piano . . . loves to talk . . . has a special interest in Dover . . . would like to be a receptionist.



Tom Douglass



Tom Driscoll



Mary



*Every why hath a wherefore.—
The Comedy of Errors. Act I, Sc. 2*

Mrs. Helstrom explains why a certain construction is wrong in Spanish.



**JOAN BOHLAND
DUSENBERRY**

Good looks and personality mean another Dusey . . . dreams of her summers at Lake Wallkill . . . likes sports and television . . . never without Joanie and Bobbie . . . she hasn't planned her future as yet.



**JOHANNA THERESA
EVANKO**

Capable Terry . . . never without a friendly grin for everyone . . . has a pleasant voice, both speaking and singing . . . Guitar Club President . . . star hockey player . . . can do wonders with horses and flowers.

*Red - of Quake
Best of Quake
To a fellow
guitarist keep
up the good
work
Love
Terry*



ELIZABETH ANN FARRELL

Sweet Betty . . . always neat . . . blonde and pretty . . . plays the flute in the Band . . . likes: square dancing, sports, and music . . . dislikes: homework . . . plans secretarial work in the future.



*This is the short and the long of it.—
The Merry Wives of Windsor. Act II, Sc. 2*

Keeping abreast of the styles are Home Economics students Betty Farrell, Lillian Masucci, and Mary O'Neill.



Joan



Terry



Betty



**ANNABELLE MARY
ALLEN FLAHERTY**

Cheerful Ann . . . likes plays, music, and dancing . . . noted for her literary ability . . . capable Editor-in-Chief of the *Dodger* . . . usually seen with the Florham Parkers . . . plans a teaching career.



**DONALD DAVIDSON
FREDRICKSON**

Tall . . . well-liked . . . famous for his freckles . . . noted for his athletic ability . . . likes vocal music . . . and eating . . . has no dislikes, believe it or not! . . . his ambition is to get into college.



**LOUIS BRYANT
FREEMAN, JR.**

Tall and blond . . . entertains with corny jokes . . . likes a certain '39 Buick . . . pals around with Tom . . . things scientific appeal to Lou . . . plans to be a scientist in the years to come.



Annabelle



Don



Lou

CAROLYN MARGARET FRY

One of the tall girls . . . has resisted the new-look hair-do . . . likes music and knitting . . . enthusiastic member of the Chemistry Club . . . very ladylike . . . and nice to know.

*Dear Ned
I will miss
seeing you around
next year - Have fun
and be good - see you
around this summer
See you every thing
Love
Carolyn*



Carolyn



John

JOHN GEORGE

Carefree John . . . never without his beautiful yellow convertible . . . will be remembered for his hearty laugh . . . knows more about radios than most experts . . . is bound to succeed in whatever he does.

*John
George*





**RONALD ALLEN
GOLDBLATT**

Ronnie hails from the wilds of Hanover . . . one of the quieter members of our Class . . . enjoys talking about his experiences at Shawnee . . . an ardent member of the History Honor Society.



PETER ALBERT GROH

Pete is quiet and sincere . . . noted for his ability at first base . . . a good sport . . . never has a frown on his face . . . his ambition is to be a major league first baseman.



NANCY KAY HALL

Nan . . . both an excellent student and one of our best hockey players . . . President of the French Club . . . active in G. A. A. . . . faithful choir member . . . noted for her neatness and efficiency.



VENETTA JANE HARDING

Ned . . . enjoys music . . . plays accordian and violin very well . . . sweet personality . . . always willing to lend a hand . . . has plans to become a nurse at Orange Memorial Hospital . . . good luck, Neddy.



Ronnie



AUDREY LA RUE HARRISON

A Florham Parkite . . . always friendly . . . seen with Joan and Mary . . . quite interested in a certain citizen of England . . . roller skating and dancing fan . . . may attend a junior college after graduation.



Pete



Nan



Vennetta



Audrey

Ned: Bested to an up and coming junior Doug.



DOUGLAS BARR HARVEY
Has a lively, likeable personality . . . pals around with the Master Painters . . . enjoys singing in the A Cappella Choir . . . orderliness appeals to him . . . likes athletics . . . and people . . . merchandising will be his future.



WALTER RICHARD HARVEY, JR.
Not too talkative, but very nice . . . helpful . . . Dick's interests include sports and popular music . . . one of the Master Painters . . . member of the Projector Staff . . . interested in the field of graphic arts.



RICHARD HAUSSE
Hauss . . . likes all winter sports, especially skiing . . . partial to Phys. Ed. and Bookkeeping . . . good sport . . . likes to tinker with radios . . . plans for the future: hopes to be a scientific weather forecaster.



Doug



Dick Harvey



Dick Hausser



*Service is no heritage.—
All's Well That Ends Well. Act I, Sc. 3
Service with a smile comes from Mr. Pickell and other M. H. S. workers.*



BARBARA JEAN HEGEMAN

Attractive Jeanie . . . from Florham Park . . . likes include people, dancing, and typing . . . noted for blonde hair and peaches 'n cream complexion . . . usually seen with Bev, Ann, Nan . . . ambition: to be a secretary.



NANCY GRACE HEILAND

Sweet Nan . . . has a welcome smile for everyone . . . known for her huge, sparkling brown eyes . . . participates in many extracurricular activities — sports, Chorus, Choir, History Club, Make-up Club, and Service Squad.



ALFRED HERSEY

Al . . . an all around athlete . . . a good student . . . noted for his little Bantam Convertible . . . is usually with the Senior fellows . . . an asset to the basketball team . . . physical ed. teacher-to-be.



My cake is dough.—

The Taming of the Shrew. Act V, Sc. 1

Lois Richardson, Barbara Tate, and Carolyn Romano find there is a practical side to education.



Jean



Nan



Al



PAUL HERSEY

Paul . . . is half of the famous brother team in M. H. S. . . . crazy about basketball . . . noted for blond, curly hair, good looks, and quiet ways . . . will go to college next year.



ROBERT WAYNE HILL

Our class genius . . . never without those school books . . . has black curly hair . . . and freckles . . . cracks corny jokes . . . Bob's smiles are big and ready for everyone . . . antique fanatic . . . likes Shawnee and Hi-Y conferences.

Lots of luck and success to a swell guy. Bob.



JOAN NATALIE HOLLY

Cute and peppy . . . likes cheer-leading and dancing . . . seen with Dusey and Bobbie . . . hates the cool chill in P. A. D. . . . sparkling blue eyes and pleasing personality will get her far in the future.



Paul

ROBERT BARTLEY HOPLER

Quiet and smart . . . proficient with a camera . . . whiz in math . . . likes ice hockey . . . our star pitcher . . . seen with Roger, Don, and Pete . . . prefers classical music . . . noted for his wisecracks in Physics.



Bob Hill



Joan

NANCI JANE HUBBARD

Miss Vogue . . . a very attractive gal . . . avid fan of Stan Kenton and all bop artists . . . follows Paris style news . . . wishes to become a buyer . . . usually seen with the girls from Florham Park.



Bob Hopley



Nanci





PHOEBE ANN HUBBARD

Cute, laughing . . . Phee . . . friendly and frank . . . likes life in general . . . participates in many sports . . . good music appeals to her . . . lucky the primary grade that gets her for a teacher.



JOSEPH ALPHONSO IZZO

Likeable Joe . . . serious (?) . . . football and track star . . . professes a dislike for homework, but does it . . . happy on the hunting ground . . . and behind a fishing reel . . . pal of Gabe and Sal.



JOSEPH JOHN JASONTEK

Joe . . . modest . . . helpful . . . happy when the hunting season rolls around . . . unhappy when homework calls . . . likes agriculture . . . and sports . . . is often seen with Cutter and Goldblatt . . . wants to be a farmer.



DONALD N. JOHNSON

Good-looking Don . . . great outdoor man . . . likes hunting, fishing, and especially trapping . . . keeps all kinds of reptiles . . . travels with Bob, Pete, and Roger . . . has no immediate plans for the future.



Phoebe



DOROTHY ANNE JURAS

Florham Parker . . . noted for her witty ways and ear-piercing laugh . . . possesses a unique hair-do, self-fashioned . . . likes writing, and does it very well . . . likes to argue . . . excels in sports.



Joe Izzo



Joe Jasontek



Don



Dot



DAVID B. KELLER

Dave . . . good-looking . . . is usually seen with Bruce . . . likes the women . . . and his car . . . has a sense of humor . . . enjoys eating and sleeping . . . hasn't decided what he'll do in the future.



**GEORGE DENNIS SALE
KELSEY, II**

One of the most popular boys in the class . . . track star . . . likes all kinds of music . . . makes friends easily . . . Student Council President . . . co-authored "Doings at Madison High" in the *Eagle*.



ROSEMARIE DAWN KERSTA

Dawn . . . cheerful . . . petite and fun-loving . . . likes playing in the Band . . . always regrets being five minutes younger than her brother . . . plans to be a kindergarten teacher.



Dave



George



Dawn



*The "why" is plain as way to parish church.—
As You Like It. Act II, Sc. 7*

Mr. John Francis shows how today's events become more meaningful when viewed against the backdrop of American history.



**LAWRENCE GEORGE
KERSTA**

Tomorrow's political scientist . . . all around good athlete . . . participates well in football, basketball, baseball . . . has a good sense of humor . . . noted for taking part in class discussions . . . usually seen with Senior fellows.



JOHN JOSEPH LADEN

Ramrod . . . industrious . . . noted for his gay laughter . . . friend to everyone in the halls . . . usually seen with the gang . . . loves football . . . ambition is to be manager of an Acme food store.



GEORGE ELLSWORTH LARE

Known as Georgie . . . always smiling . . . likes Mechanical Drawing . . . outdoor man . . . enjoys hunting and fishing . . . often seen with Si, Tom, Andy, and Sheik . . . plans to be a machinist after high school.



*It is meat and drink to me.—
As You Like It. Act V, Sc. 1
The noon-time pause that refreshes.*



Larry



Jack



George



MARY LEE MACCARIO

Mac, with the dancing eyes . . . has a sweet disposition . . . usually seen with Betty or Mary Lou . . . keeps the fellows at the skating rink happy . . . will be successful in a secretarial career.



BRUCE D. MAC DOUGALL

Happy-go-lucky Bruce . . . famous for his height and cars . . . seen with Dave . . . great fan of midget auto racing . . . plans to go to California again as soon as possible.



ANN MARCELLIS

Ann . . . with the sweet smile and wavy hair . . . likes reading and the movies . . . and collecting pictures . . . dislikes homework . . . good at square-dancing . . . talkative . . . will make someone an excellent secretary.



Mary



Bruce



Ann



Lillian



Lorraine

LILLIANE BEATRICE MASUCCI

Happy Lill . . . short and vivacious . . . seen flitting through the halls . . . likes to daydream . . . great school spirit . . . has plans of being a secretary after graduation . . . we think she'll make the grade.



LORRAINE GRACE MAZERALL

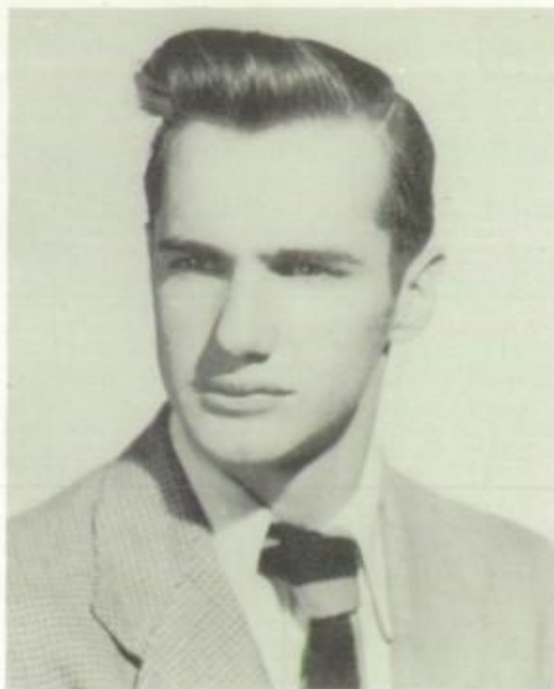
Pretty Lorraine . . . a regular passenger on the Hanover bus . . . usually seen with Mary and Frances . . . Lorraine loves roller skating and dancing . . . in whatever she plans to do, we're sure she'll be successful.





EDITH MARY MAZZOCCHI

Tiny . . . very friendly . . . always ready with a smile for everyone . . . likes to read . . . if she's not reading she's selling . . . would like to be a salesgirl after graduation . . . good luck, Edith.



RAY MC LAUGHLIN

Mac . . . happy-go-lucky . . . has it bad for a certain person . . . excels in track and football . . . an able quarterback on the Madison team . . . very friendly . . . plans for the future, undecided.



WINNIFRED LORRAINE MICONE

Pretty Lorraine . . . with the beautiful black hair . . . Miss Brewster's efficient secretary . . . usually seen with Marie Sabatini . . . Vice-President of the Senior Class . . . will make a perfect secretary for some lucky person.



JOAN DORTHY MITCHELL

Mickey . . . petite and lovable . . . noted for her giggle . . . sports enthusiast . . . loves hockey and basketball . . . fond of music . . . a member of Service Squad, Hall Monitors, History Club, G. A. A., and Chemistry Club.



ROBERT L. MITTL

Good-looking . . . has a pleasant grin . . . dependable and thorough . . . efficient *Alembic* Editor-in-Chief . . . honor roll student . . . baseball enthusiast . . . talented in woodcraft . . . active in Key Club and Chemistry . . . is headed toward college.



Edith



Ray



Lorraine



Joan



Bob



JOSEPH ROBERT MOTTOLA

Talented *Alembic* Art Editor . . . enthusiastic about dramatics . . . member of All-State Choir, two years . . . Joe's pleasing personality and pleasant smile will long be remembered at M. H. S.



MINNIE DOLORES NAPLES

Petite brunette with a sparkling personality . . . Betty, Ann, Carolyn, and Mary are her companions . . . is a member of the Spanish and Library Clubs . . . likes movies . . . plans to be a secretary.



ELISE NEUNZIG

Lee . . . the songbird of the Senior Class . . . has a questioning eyebrow . . . excellent swimmer and hockey player . . . ardent member of A Cappella Choir, Girls' Chorus, G. A. A., French Club, Service Squad, and History Club.



Joe



Minnie



Elise



*At my fingers' ends.—
Twelfth Night. Act I, Sc. 3
Miss Bricker's class learns to type to music.*

*Red Fred
to Fred Noel
John Noel
care of Dawn.*



FREDERICK FORCE NOE

We're glad to have Fred with us again . . . never gloomy . . . has a winning way . . . likes music, tennis, and painting . . . would like to attend Montclair State Teachers' College . . . good luck, Fred.



EUGENE ABBOTT O'CONNOR

Gene's a Florham Parker . . . likes a good argument . . . spends his leisure time collecting stamps and coins . . . seen with Charles Schumann . . . plans to be a farmer or forester in the future.



MARY ANNE O'NEILL

Tootsie hails from Hanover . . . has a cheery smile . . . loves to roller skate . . . usually seen with Lorraine Lillian, and Bobby . . . good basketball player . . . hopes to become a social worker after graduation.



*What a case am I in.—
As You Like It. Epilogue*

School nurse Mrs. Glowka gives some emergency attention to John Mastrobuono.



Fred



Gene



Mary



JOSEPH ANTHONY PALAZZI

Joe's reserved, but has a wonderful sense of humor . . . always willing to do his share . . . likes traveling . . . pals around with Nick and Frank . . . hopes to be a salesman after graduation.



EVALYN RUTH PLOTZ

Sixty-eight inches of pleasant disposition . . . a quiet gal . . . always able and willing to do more than her share . . . likes hockey and good times . . . plans on future education in college.



LOUIS JOHN POLISE

Lou . . . always with a smile . . . drives the gang around in his Ford convertible . . . likes fencing, flirting, and eating . . . has a secret love . . . usually seen with Stewart, Donato, and Garrity.



Joe



Evalyn



Louis



Terry



Lois

THERESA RADZEWICH

Terry's noted for her sunny smile and contagious laughter . . . an excellent student . . . life's ambition is to become a doctor . . . likes to roller skate . . . usually seen with Annabelle, Joan, and Dolly.



LOIS REBECCA RICHARDSON

Tall and friendly Lo . . . pals around with Olivia . . . does well in Typing and Home Economics . . . fun-loving and carefree . . . never seems unhappy . . . likes Bop City . . . will do well in anything she undertakes.





ADRIAN S. ROBERTS, JR.

Chip . . . easy going . . . a bug on baseball . . . known for his blond hair and cheery smile . . . active in the Ag Club . . . usually seen with Bev . . . will make a good business man.



CAROLYN ROMANO

Cute Lil . . . has pretty clothes . . . likes dancing . . . never misses a day of school . . . keeps the fellows guessing . . . is Miss Hutchins' able secretary . . . will face the future as a secretary.



MICHAEL PHILIP ROSCIGNO

Miggs . . . has that enviable brown hair . . . likes golf and baseball, especially the Yankees . . . great and valued short-stop for the M. H. S. Dodgers . . . seen with Andy and the fellows . . . ardent Ag. student.



PATRICIA JOAN RUSSELL

Better known as Pat . . . has loads of pep . . . and friends . . . usually seen with Mary DeVine, Julie Blake, and Carol Crane . . . recognized by her wavy black hair . . . hopes to attend nursing school.



Adrian



SHIRLEY ANN RYAN

Lovely Shirl . . . full of enthusiasm . . . a conscientious worker . . . one of our Varsity Cheerleaders . . . capable chairman of the G. A. A. dance . . . likes dancing, riding, swimming . . . hopes to go to Wellesley.



Carolyn



Mike



Pat



Shirley



MARIE HELEN SABATINI

Petite Marie . . . likes swimming . . . has many male interests . . . Library Club President . . . likes good jokes . . . seen with Ann and Lorraine . . . Mrs. Aimer can vouch for her success as a secretary.



MARY LOUISE SANDELLO

President of El Club Cervantes . . . Mary Lou always has a cheery smile for everyone . . . wonderful basketball player . . . noted for her happy laugh and twinkling eyes . . . enjoys her many other activities.



RALPH SANDELLO

Duke . . . has smiling dark eyes . . . and black wavy hair . . . a dynamic personality . . . Giant fan . . . his sense of humor is wonderful . . . usually seen with Scully, Miggs and Delly . . . future undecided.



Marie



Mary Lou



Ralph



*All dedicated
To closeness and the bettering of my mind.—
The Tempest. Act I, Sc. 2*

Active participation in club activities trains pupils in leadership, discussion, and co-operation. Here Alice Browne presides over the Senior History Honor Society, while Joan Barker gives the Secretary's report.



*Dear Head
hands of love
and success
a small fellow and
and very responsible
person*

LILLIAN RUTH SCHINDLER

Impenetrable goalie of the Senior Hockey Team . . . peppy cheer leader . . . sports enthusiast . . . dark, flashing eyes . . . happy-go-lucky . . . Lil is well-liked by everyone . . . plans a career in social work.



FREDA SCHOENHAAR

Freda . . . one of the cute kids from Hanover . . . full of pep and cheer . . . always has a smile . . . likes skating and swimming . . . a speed demon on the typewriter . . . secretary-to-be.



BETTE LOU SCHREINER

Sincere Bette . . . excellent seamstress . . . fond of ballet . . . graceful dancer herself . . . likes sports and music . . . seen with Gretchen and the gang . . . participates in A Cappella Choir, Girls' Chorus, G. A. A., Library Club, and Make-up Club.



Experience be a jewel.—

The Merry Wives of Windsor. Act II, Sc. 2

Lillian Schindler and Nancy Hall, members of the Attendance Staff, are two of many students given practical experience in shouldering responsibility.



Lillian



Freda



Bette



**CHARLES THEODORE
SCHUMANN**

A quiet, capable, and ambitious Florham Parker . . . plays the piano . . . a member of the Stage Crew and Projector Staff . . . collects coins and enjoys Chemistry . . . plans to be a chemical engineer.



**DOROTHY VIOLA
SCIARRILLO**

Petite . . . with lovely curly black hair . . . Dot's the quiet type . . . often accompanies Freda Schoenhaar . . . likes food, bowling, baseball . . . a very good typist . . . will be an excellent secretary in later life.



F. BURTON SHACKLOCK

Carefree Shack . . . usually seen with Bob Bradley, Al Smith, Bob Hopler . . . happy when he's playing football . . . an asset to the Madison Football Team . . . plans to attend college . . . lots of luck, Shack.



Charles



Dot



Burton



Frances



Al

FRANCES SIPPEL

Generally known as Bobbie . . . has pretty flaming red hair . . . usually seen with Norma, Lorraine, and Tootsie . . . will work after graduation . . . skating rink's best customer . . . friendly ways are liked by all.

*Need a terrific year
Leave a terrific year
time next as small.*



ALFRED P. SMITH

Tall and handsome . . . known by all as Al . . . likes football and Physics . . . also pool and bowling . . . has a hard time with English IV . . . in the near future Al will attend college.





SARI ANN SMITH

Tall . . . witty . . . likes popular and classical music . . . gives grand parties . . . plays bells in the marching Band and piano in Orchestra . . . French Club Treasurer . . . G. A. A. member . . . will go north to college.



THOMAS ANDREW SODANO

Tom . . . quiet and sedate . . . active in the Spanish Club . . . bass in the A Cappella Choir . . . strums a mean guitar . . . likes math in every form . . . hopes to be a book-keeper.



DONALD JOHN SPEIR

Don . . . likes drawing . . . and all types of sport . . . has a good sense of humor . . . hangs around with Bill, Bob, and Tom . . . looking forward to the field of engineering . . . Good Luck!



DONALD VINCENT SPENCER

New to M. H. S. this year . . . Don hails from Brooklyn . . . there's no mistaking his affection for it . . . Dodger fan, naturally . . . reserved . . . likes to eat and sleep . . . member of the Varsity Basketball Squad.



Sari



FRANCES JOAN SPERA

Red . . . has a quiet disposition . . . is pleasant to talk to . . . likes roller skating, square dancing, and the movies . . . a good auto driver . . . look out, Stirling, here she comes . . . good luck, Frances!



Tom



Don Speir



Don Spencer



** Frances*



**MICHAEL GREGORY
STEWART**

Mike . . . a wit . . . came to M. H. S. during our Sophomore year . . . very much of a romeo . . . sharp dresser . . . travels with Dick Ahles, Tom Douglass, and Louis Polise . . . plans to attend college.



**RICHARD WILLIAM
SWANSON**

Another Florham Parker . . . is shy . . . very nice to know . . . Dick enjoys collecting insects . . . likes to read and ice skate . . . usually seen with John and Jimmy . . . plans to be an accountant.



BARBARA TATE

Better known to all of us as Bobbie . . . likes sports, swimming, and cutting up . . . never seen without Joan Holly or Dusey . . . known for her congenial smile, pretty green eyes, and friendly manner.



Mike

ROGER THOMAS TRINDELL

Originally from Summit . . . has made a big hit with both fellows and girls . . . golf enthusiast . . . likes the Make-Believe Ballroom . . . and sports on T. V. . . . a grand fellow has joined our graduating class.



Dick



Bobbie

**ANDREW SALVADOR
TYRONE**

Andy . . . usually seen with Miggs and the gang . . . fan of the Yankees . . . outfielder . . . likes: fun and television . . . dislikes: work! . . . as yet, his plans for the future are undecided.



Roger



Andy





SIMON PETER VACCA

Well-dressed Si . . . that friendly smile is always flashing . . . seen with Allen, Driscoll, and the gang . . . usually in the vicinity of Ratti's . . . likes guns and hunting . . . and vacations and camping.



JOAN MARY WETTER

One of the quieter members of our Class, but always smiling . . . usually with Audrey and Mary . . . likes roller skating, dancing, bowling . . . a Florham Parker . . . will make an excellent secretary.



WARREN NELSON WHEELER

Never seems bothered by worries . . . enthusiastic participant in Scouts . . . quiet, good fellow . . . plans undecided . . . with Warren's capabilities we know he will be successful in whatever he undertakes . . . Good luck, Warren.



GRETCHEN J. YONKMAN

Gretch is usually busy participating in school activities . . . made the All-State Hockey Team and All-State Chorus . . . peppy cheerleader . . . will be remembered for her laugh . . . college in the future.



Si



Joan



Warren



Gretchen



STUDENT COUNCIL

First row: P. Stevenson, D. Fog, S. Ryan, T. Crowell, D. Kersta, J. Hall, V. Palk, G. Caprio, D. Juras, E. Pielstick, D. Daly, G. Kelsey, Miss Brewster, G. Lassiter, D. Zukswert, P. Steitz, R. Ferrera, Y. Jackson, G. Yonkman, H. Randall, J. McClintock, L. Earrusso, C. Adamson. Second row: H. Siegmund, J. Nordling, C. Suitt, R. Tucker, L. King, F. Davidson, G. Marr, C. Ahto, B. Shacklock, L. Scull, R. Ventema, R. Bradley, D. Frederickson, R. Hetterly, J. Brower, N. Nichols, G. Fenner, S. Burroughs, R. Hill.

The general purpose of the Student Council is to work with the Administration to make a smooth-running relationship between the faculty and students. Every homeroom from grades nine to twelve elects a delegate to this student governing body, and each delegate has a "stand-in," or alternate. In addition to these representatives, the officers of each class and council officers, elected by the entire student body, are also members. The President of the Junior Student Council, Harry Siegmund, is a member of the Cabinet of the Student Council.

The program, or repertoire, of these performers is a varied one. Their aims and accomplishments range from improving relationships between classes, such as the Freshman and Sophomore classes, to working as a group and getting a beautiful permanent ring for the high school.

Another successful production this year was the sale of one thousand book jackets made especially for the Council—a complete sell-out, incidentally. The book jackets proved so popular that more will be ordered for next year. At present, the group is preparing changes for the new edition of the *Handbook*.

The Council conducted an excellent forum on boy and girl relationships in assembly, and is considering another one in the spring. An added coming attraction along this same line is the handbook of cartoons that is being planned to help boy and girl relationships.

The Student Council sends representatives to various student Suburban Conferences, and makes sure that all grades are represented. This winter our group played host to Glen Ridge, Caldwell, Millburn, Summit and Verona at which time Madison High School students were treated to a guest performance in assembly from visiting Verona students.

As a result of the initiative and ability of its members, and the active guidance of Miss Brewster, this year has been a productive and successful one for the Student Council.



JUNIOR STUDENT COUNCIL

First row: Tom Craig, Tom Browne, Mrs. Park, Norma Rollins, Jean Hall, Patty Stevenson, Dorothy Carey. Second row: George Swan, Bruce Oakley, Harry Siegmund, Charles Irving, Caesar Romano.

STUDENT COUNCIL OFFICERS
President ----- George Kelsey
Vice-President ----- Don Daly
Secretary ----- George Lassiter
Treasurer ----- Jim Donato

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ALHANDO JAMBOREE



Alhando Chairmen



Harry Siegmund



Bill Siegmund



Male Quartet: Aur-inger, Bradley, Con-dit, and Frederick-son.



Bob Mittl and John Clark give an "il-luminating" lecture for Wonderland of Science.

Stage folks being well known for their generosity in supporting worthy causes, the benefit performance is a familiar part of the Broadway scene.

For nine years students, faculty, and interested townspeople have joined in a highly enjoyable and successful benefit venture, the Alhando Jamboree, to help defray expenses of the publications of Madison High School—the *Alembic*; the *Handbook*; and our school paper, the *Dodger*.

Tried and true concessions, supplemented by several new ones, both popular and profitable, rounded out two evenings of fun, November 18 and 19, introduced by Booth Tarkington's one act comedy, "The Trysting Place," ably produced and coached by Miss Florence Lowery.

Mr. Joseph F. Francis was General Manager of this most successful benefit to date, and Senior Chairmen were Gretchen Yonkman and Robert Bradley.

*Wrote a very smart guy in Geo. too!!
Nice guy in Geo. too!!
Luck to you!!
Pat Hackett.*



Patty O'Hanlon accompanying Pat Hackett.



Danceland

The Skippers

SENIOR PLAY



Cast and Helpers



"Don't go, Enid!"

NO WAY OUT

Against an unusually beautiful setting, worthy to the smallest detail of a Broadway production, the cast of *No Way Out*, this year's Senior production, gave a polished, sensitive performance far exceeding the usual dramatic capacity of high school actors. This modern drama, by Owen Davis, is an admittedly difficult vehicle for young adults, but these members of the Class of '50, with the poised assurance that follows thorough preparation and Miss Hutchins' consistently excellent coaching, thrilled audiences on the evenings of March 10 and 11, keeping them in suspense until the final curtain, when the villain got his just deserts.

All three acts took place in the living-room of the old Trent Mansion in a large city in Northern New York State. The setting as constructed by the stage crew under the direction of Miss Hutchins, Mr. Stair, and student manager George Marr, was a real masterpiece with its two-toned turquoise walls, a white hallway showing a rich red-carpeted winding staircase, valuable oil paintings in gold frames, tapestries, and sparkling crystal chandelier and sconces. It drew a deserved round of a applause when the curtain parted.

So excellent were all the performers that it is impossible to single out any one as being superior to the rest. Michael Stewart gave a thoroughly convincing portrayal of unscrupulous Dr. Niles Hilliard, scheming to let his wealthy stepdaughter die so her money could make up his financial losses. Nancy Cunningham gave a spirited performance as the young doctor who recognized Hilliard's villainy and was powerless to stop it. Nancy Heiland gave a warm, sincere picture of the trusting Mrs. Hilliard, and Lillian Schindler was pathetic and sweet as Barbara, the young girl who was slowly dying. Peter D'Andrea and Elise Neunzig as Dr. and Mrs. Walter Levenseller, were properly adult and matter-of-fact as Mrs. Hilliard's brother-in-law and sister. Tom Douglass as a loyal servant, Julianne Blake as Dr. Hilliard's office nurse-accomplice, Donald Fredrickson as Barbara's worried fiance, and Joe Mottola as the shady Jim Slade, rounded out a well-chosen cast that performed as seasoned troupers.

A well-deserved nod of approval should also go to prompters Nancy Hall, Alice Browne, and Carol Doty; the Properties Committee under the chairmanship of Joan Mitchell; and the Ticket Committee headed by Al Smith and Mrs. Pursell.



"No objection to eggs!"



"Oh, Bob, I thought you'd gone away!"



Setting Superb

HISTORY OF

HISTORY OF THE DRAMA as seen through the eyes of one of the critics. FRESHMAN YEAR

September '46—Our audition, the first day as Freshmen!

—We meet our sponsors and fellow troupers.

—We begin our studies and our "drama" at M. H. S.

November '46—We witness the school's annual production, "The Alhondo Jamboree."

February '47 —Many go to their first high school formal, the G.A.A. "Cotillion."

April '47 —We sponsor our first big enterprise, "The Stardust Ball."

June '47 —We collect autographs and jam them into our first *Alembic*.

—We finish our first year and enter the class of "wise fools."

SOPHOMORE YEAR

September '47—We meet our new classmates from Hanover .

—Skip Coultas is again made President of our Class.

April '48 —We present the "Hobo Hop." It probably was the first time the gym was ever decorated with tin cans!

—We order our class rings.

June '48 —The time has come for us to enter the group referred to as "Upperclassmen."



Sitting pretty Tell me, pretty maidens



Everybody wants to get into the act!



Tarzan a la Mel Reaching for the moon



Clan Douglass



Swimming lesson



Congrats!



Motor missing?



Sweet Ad-o-line

THE DRAMA

JUNIOR YEAR

September '48—As Juniors, we elect Jim Donato as President of our Class.

November '48—The Varsity Football Team defeats Summit 19-6. Remember how hoarse we were that Saturday night?

February '48 —The troupers attend the "Cupid's Caper."

April '49 —We hear "bop" and "pop" at the "Club 50." The dance was a big success.

SENIOR YEAR

September '49—We walk down the aisles as Seniors.

October '49 —Remember the big bonfire in back of Central Avenue School?
—We give the annual Football Dance.

November '49—The "Alhondo Jamboree" is managed by the Class of '50. We topped all previous records in profit.

December '49—We attend the "Holiday Inn."

March '50 —The outstanding dramatists present *No Way Out*.

June '50 —With heavy hearts we reach our final curtain. After four years of smooth rehearsals in the workshop with fellow "hoofers," we embark upon a new world of drama.



Hello there! Things are looking up



I don't believe it!



Al Capone School support



The Master Painters



Man holding up a tree



Concentrated effort

Dressed fit to kill

Why, Annabelle!

TOP BILLING



MOST DEPENDABLE
Beverly Brinkerhoff Robert Mittl



MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED
Charles Schumann Shirley Ryan



MOST SCHOOL SPIRIT
Larry Kersta Jim Donato
Gretchen Yonkman



CLASS ACTOR
Joseph Mottola Nancy Cunningham



BEST DRESSED
Simon Vacca Nancy Heiland



BIGGEST BLUFFER
Julie Blake Mike Stewart



CLASS COMEDIAN
Dorothy Juras Tom Douglass



BEST DANCER
Mike Stewart Nancy Cunningham



BEST STUDENT
Nancy Hall Charles Schumann



MOST VERSATILE
Gretchen Yonkman Bob Bradley



BEST ATHLETE
Gretchen Yonkman Jim Donato



MOST FLIRTATIOUS
Mike Stewart Lillian Schindler



HAPPIEST
Tom Douglass Dorothy Juras



MOST ATTRACTIVE
Shirley Ryan Bruce MacDougall



QUIETEST
Richard Swanson Betty Farrell



BEST LIKED
Gretchen Yonkman Bill Diacik



“VARIETY” SAYS:

Name	Alias	Best Act	Hobby	Should Be	Best Line
Allen, K.	Skweekie	Art	Horseback riding	Fashion illustrator	"Crum!"
Allen, T.	Hot-Rod	Basketball	Tinkering with auto motors	Mechanic	"You got it."
Allocco	Sheik	Bowling	Proclaiming merits of Yanks	Sports writer for <i>Sports</i>	"It's a strike!"
Apgar	Dottie	English IV	The saddle	Marrying the boss	"Oh my gosh!"
Armstrong	Phyl	Ya-ta-ta	Swimming	Social director on a cruise ship	"I'm so tired."
Barker	Shotsy	Designing, sewing	Collecting rings from different high schools	First assistant to Adrian	"Aren't you the lucky one!"
Bassi	Betts	Eating, Talking	Dancing	Social secretary	"Oh, no!!!"
Bayliss	Hawk	Watching television	Playing pool	Professional kegler	"Buff."
Blake	Julie	Losing things	Acting	Buyer at Bonwit Teller's	"Let me psycho-analyze you."
Bradley	Bob	Mountain climbing	Sports	Bridge builder	"Fond memories."
Brinkerhoff	Bev	Art	Painting	Fashion illustrator	"Neat!"
Browne	Tweedie	Sincerity	Reading	Teaching why's and wherefore's	"Oh, no!!!"
Bruin	Hen	Football	Automobiles	Television expert	"Get out of here."
Caccavale	Caccy	Whiz	Roller skating	Men's furnishings tycoon	"Whatta-ya-say, cuz?"
Citro	Mary	Typewriting	Reading	Taking dictation	"Honest?"
Clark	Johnnie	Cantering	Photography	Diesel engineer	"Ye-e-e-e-s."
Crane	Carrie	Reading	Green Door Players	Jean J. Anthony	"Hurry or we'll be late for school AGAIN!"
Cunningham	Nan	Performing	Drawing	Behind footlights	"Ye gads and little fishes."
Cutter	Jack	Agriculture	Taking care of animals	Dairy farmer	"How 'you doin'?"
D'Andrea	Pete	Arguing	Skating	Post cover man	"What are ya—mad?"
Dascoll	Dasky	Sketching	Building models	Architecture consultant to UN	"I hope so."
Dawson	Bet	Math	The movies	Florence Nightingale, II	"Oh, nuts!"
De Angelis	Lou-Lou	Spreading cheer	Ditto	Pounding the keys	"Oh, gee!"
Del Guidice	Buttons	Basketball	Sewing	Clearing out the files	"Okay, good-bye."
Della Vecchia	Mike	Mechanics	Sports	Following in his father's footsteps	"You got it, Bo."
De Maria	Scully	Sports	Ditto	Resting after 12 years of school	"Yeah?"
Detaranto	Moose	Mech. Drawing	Making model airplanes	Draftsman	"You're kiddin'!!!"
Devine	Too-Too	Talking	Swimming	Head of a dating bureau	"Boy, am I in trouble!"
Diacik	Bill	Football	Hunting	Coach of U.C.L.A.	"All right."
Dikovics	Dick	Mechanics	The airport	Navy pilot	"Yeah, but . . ."



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Donato	Jim	Popularity	Sports	In professional sports	"What are ya—happy?"
Doty	Carol	Music Making	Sports	Professional musician	"Pardon my French but . . ."
Douglass	Tom	Spanish	Dramatics	Teacher of dramatics	"Darling, you re the light of my life."
Driscoll	Tom	Salesmanship	Hunting and Fishing	Typical business man	"I'm hungry."
Durham	M. E.	Skating	Collecting stamps and coins	Receptionist	"Oh, crumb."
Dusenberry	Dusey	Swimming	Dancing	Aquabelle	"Meet me by my locker."
Evanko	Terry	Playing Guitar	Horses, horses, horses	Lady landscaper	"Oh, nuts!"
Farrell	Bet	a s d f ; l k j	Reading	Typing 500 words a minute	"Jeepers!"
Flaherty	Ann	Writing	Reading	Writing a best seller	? ? ?
Frederickson	Don	Track	Fun	Successful	"Wait a minute."
Freeman	Lou	Jokes (?)	Science	Journalistic photographer	"Whadda ya say?"
Fry	Carol	Telephone calls	Sports	Helping humanity	"I'm so mad!"
George	John	Science	Radio building and scouting	Accountant	"Hi, there."
Goldblatt	Butch	History	Woodworking	Manual training teacher	(see Freeman)
Groh	Pete	Home run!!	Hunting and trapping	First baseman with the Dodgers	(see Flaherty)
Hall	Nan	Math	Tickling the ivories	First woman President of U.S.	"I don't like to talk."
Harding	Ned	Music	Collecting records and painting	Lady with a lamp	"I dunno."
Harrison	Dimples	Home Ec.	Knit one, purl two	Yard goods buyer	"Well I'll be!"
Harvey	Doug	Neatness	Model airplane making	Hahnes merchandising director	"Yeah uh."
Harvey	Dick	Knows bands	Taking pictures	In graphic arts	"Hey, kid."
Hausser	Hauss	Winter sports	Fixing radios	Scientific weather forecaster	"Did I pass the Library test <i>this</i> time?"
Hegeman	Jeanne	Procrastination	Driving	Living happily ever after	"Hey, now."
Heiland	Nan	Friendliness	Writing that newspaper column	Short story editor for <i>Red Book</i>	"Golly, I'm sorry."
Hersey	Al	Good grades	Sports	Coach Hersey	"Things are tough all over."
Hersey	Paul	Sports	Ditto	Phy. Ed. instructor	(We'd like to know)
Hill	Bob	Dependability	Fore!	Civil engineer	"How are you making out?"
Holly	Joanie	Typing	Movies	Stenographer	"It's cold in this P.A.D. room."
Hopler	Bob	Bowling	Watch the birdie!	Geological eng'r for Stan. Oil	"Let's get outta here."
Hubbard	Nan	Style-wise	Bop and sports	Vogue's Paris representative	"Pardon?"
Hubbard	Phee	Friendliness	Sports and good music	Primary grade teacher	"Check that!!"
Izzo	Joe	Sportsmanship	Huntin' and fishin'	In professional sports	"Whatta ya say?"



“VARIETY” SAYS:

Name	Alias	Best Act	Hobby	Should Be	Best Line
Jasontek	Joe	Agriculture	Hunting	Tilling the soil	"Poppycock!"
Johnson	Don	Outdoor life	Zoo	Admiral Johnson	(We couldn't find out)
Juras	Dot	Sense of humor	Arguing	By-lining in the <i>Times</i>	"Let me tell you."
Keller	Dave	Play ball!	Fixing his car	Mattress tester	"What is there to eat, Jo?"
Kelsey	George	Platform poise	Collecting keys	Psychologist	"Holy cow!"
Kersta	Dee	Helping Larry	Dancing	Kindergarten teacher	"What gave you the first clue?"
Kersta	Larry	Gets in trouble	Sports	Manager of a Howard Johnson's	"Oh * * !! * * !!!"
Laden	Ramrod	Likes work	Girls	Manager of the Acme	"Yeah?"
Lare	Georgie	Mech. drawing	Hunting and fishing	Wielding a monkey wrench	"What's the homework today?"
Maccario	Mac	Being amiable	Collecting pictures of fellows and girls	Saying, "Number please."	"Whatta ya got, rocks on your head?"
MacDougall	Bruce	Friendly grin	Going out	His own boss	? ? ?
Marcellis	Anna-Banana	Gentle manner	Adding to her photo album	Reading shorthand	"Really?"
Masucci	Lil	Basketball, Typing	Collecting Vaughn Monroe records	Beating the existing typing speed record	"No kidding?"
Mazerall	Lor	Friendliness	Wings on wheels	Housewife	"Say there, fellow."
Mazzocchi	Tiny	Cheerfulness	Radio and reading	Homemaker	"Oh, shoot!"
McLaughlin	Mac	Sports	Just looking around	Walter Winchell	"Hey, Dee . . ."
Micone	Tubby	Ideal Secretary	Having a good time	Model for Ipana ads	"Oh, for corn's sake!"
Mitchell	Mickey	Sports	Music	Gym teacher	"Gad!!"
Mittl	Bob	Trig	Woodcraft and juggling	Science instructor at Vassar	"No!"
Mottola	Motts	Using vocal cords	Dramatics and playing a guitar	In advertising	"What did I say?"
Naples	Min	Sound sleeper	Reading	Private secretary	"Honestly . . ."
Neunzig	Lee	Sarcasm	Singing	French interpreter in the U.N.	"Oh?"
Noe	Fred	Playing violin	Tennis	One of King Cole's fiddlers	"Fine dog!"
O'Connor	Gene	Minding his own business	Stamp and coin collecting	Forester	(The silent type)
O'Neill	Tootsie	Baking cakes	Collecting snapshots	Roller derby queen	"I ain't squealing."
Palazzi	Joe	Spanish	Television and movies	Salesclerk in Bamberger's	"Come on."
Plotz	Ev	Conscientious worker	Sports	Graduating summa cum laude from college	"Golly jeeppers!"
Polise	Smokey	Piloting his convertible	Sports	Local representative for Alcoholics Unanimous	"Ah, cut it out."
Radzewich	Terry	Sense of humor	Her record collection	M. D.	"I'll give you a shot in the head."



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Richardson	Lo	Long telephone conversations	Collecting miniature bop bottles	Booking bands into Bop City	"Quien sabe???"
Roberts	Chip	Talking	Movies and dates	Playing canasta on D. L. & W.	"Hi!"
Romano	Lilly	Cheerful smile	Clothes	Camay's best ad	"Are you kidding?"
Roscigno	Miggs	Ag	Sports	Third baseman	"How come?"
Russell	Butch	Good mood	Same as above	Laboratory technician	"You don't say?"
Ryan	Shirl	Good marks	Same as above	Editor of <i>Harper's</i>	"Oh for crumb's sake!"
Sabatini	Shrimp	Typing	Dating	Secretary to some lucky boss	"Wait for me."
Sandello, M.	Sandy	Basketball	Collecting souvenirs of visits	Secretary at M.H.S.	"Hi, squirrel; let's twirl."
Sandello, R.	Duke	Baseball	Camera artistry	Woodworking contractor	"Son of a gun!"
Schindler	Lil	Sports	Collecting letters	Woman in white	"Terrific, but I'm all confused."
Shoenhaar	Mousie	Typing	Square dancing	Receptionist	"You don't say."
Schreiner	Bet	Versatility	Acquiring "big brothers."	Merchandising	"G-R-E-T-C-H-E-N!"
Schumann	Charlie	Math	The 88's	Chemical engineer	(Never says the same thing twice)
Sciarrillo	Dot	Dependability	Knitting	Working at the Pru	"Isn't he cute?"
Shacklock	Burt	Physics	Radio and pool	Millionaire	"Take it cool."
Sippel	Bobby	Basketball	Going up to Stan's	Beautician	"Drop dead!"
Smith, A.	Smitty	Physics	Pool and bowling	Executive	(Unquotable)
Smith	Sari	Piano playing	Winter sports	Professeur de Francais	"For Pete's sake!"
Sodano	T. S.	Math	The guitar	Balancing a ledger	"I don't know!"
Speir	Don	Humor	Sports	We give up	"Just a minute."
Spencer	Don	Track, Bskt'ball	Collecting athletic programs	Athletic director	"Wait till next year."
Spera	Red	Forgets glasses	Roller skating	Costume designer	"I can't."
Stewart	Mike	Basketball	Chasing women	Wine taster, Chateau Martin	"You horrible beast!!"
Swanson	Dick	Bookkeeping	Basking in the summer sun	Bug-ologist	"I feel so silly today."
Tate	Bobbie	Swimming	Talking	Pres. League of Women Voters	"I love you, too!"
Trindell	Rodge	Sarcasm	Hoping for a hole-in-one	Manager of a large store	"I would if I could, but I can't."
Tyrone	Tie	Baseball	Building models	Swinging a baseball bat	"How can you tell?"
Vacca	Si	Sports	Hunting and fishing	Real estate developer	"Ima no gonna say."
Wetter	Joanie	Fine sewing	Reading	Owner of a knitting lounge	"Oh, fudge!"
Wheeler	Warren	Eating	Scouts	Judge of pie-eating contests	"How about that?"
Yonkman	Gretch	Sports	Music	Burning midnight oil in college	"Oh, beans!"

STAGE

Having reached a turning point in our life, we realize that before going forth in the world, we must compile our last will and testament. Therefore, on this sixteenth day of June, nineteen hundred and fifty, the members of the Class of 1950, being of sound mind and sound judgement (*we think so, anyway*) do hereby bequeath the following:

Tom Allen leaves at 60 miles per hour.

Joan Barker leaves Mr. Cooper in peace.

Richard Bayliss, Joe Caccavale, and Joan Holly leave, passing the hat around for a fountain pen purchasing fund. Beneficiaries: Carl Piccola, Cousin Bill, and Barney Vezzetti, respectively.

Bob Bradley leaves the B. of B. S. & S. to some conceited Junior boy.

Al Smith leaves the middle S. in the B. S. & S. to some conceited Junior boy.

Burton Shacklock leaves the last S. of B. S. & S. to some conceited Junior boy.

Julie Blake leaves the lost and found department with business at a standstill.

Beverly Brinkerhoff bequeaths to some poor, unsuspecting soul the job of Literary Editor for the 1951 *Alembic*.

Tweedie Browne leaves her chair in Latin IV to some fortunate underclassman.

John Clark leaves his noon-time post at the side of the school, hoping M. H. S. drivers will improve. Or at least get glasses.

Carol Crane leaves a package of chewing gum a week to Sue Parker.

Nancy Cunningham and Sari Smith leave their locker to whoever wants a surprise.

Jack Cutter leaves Mr. Guerin a new Ag class. He'll need one after this year!

Francis Dascoll bequeaths his 7th period view of the cemetery to any "grave" Junior.

Mike Della Vecchia leaves many fond remembrances behind.

Pete De Maria leaves Madison High with a hymn of thanksgiving.

Angelo Detaranto leaves his piece of Chinese Chippendale in Room 25 to someone in the Class of 1954.

Mary DeVine leaves an empty chair in Miss Ackerman's office first period to some unworthy Junior.

Bill Diacik leaves his winning ways to the football team.

Dick Dikovics leaves—if that 1925 Ford can shift into high.

Jim Donato hands down his gavel to the incoming President of the Class of '51.

Tom Douglass leaves to Bill Hay his appreciation of the opposite sex.

Tom Driscoll bequeaths his seat in Mr. Stair's class to next year's class so they can look out the window, too.

Terry Evanko leaves her love of horses and all other animals to Estelle Morgan.

Annabelle Flaherty leaves the pleasure and work connected with being Editor of the *Dodger* to some Junior.

*Don Fredrickson leaves his pair of splinter-proof football pants to any Junior who will be sitting it out next year.

Larry Kersta is more specific. He leaves his place on the football bench to Charlie Weedon.

Louis Freeman bequeaths his five-place logarithm tables to George Marr.

Carolyn Fry leaves Evalyn Plotz.

Evalyn Plotz leaves Carolyn Fry.

John George leaves the dents in his car to anyone who will take them out.

Ronald Goldblatt leaves the answers in his books.

Pete Groh leaves the diamond in Dodge Field to make a name for himself in professional baseball.

Nancy Hall leaves her place as the only femme in trig class to any brave Junior girl.

Vennetta Harding hands over her witty remarks to Dave Auringer, who can add them to his own stock.

Dick Harvey bequeaths the privilege of playing his records to any Junior who wants to play them at the dances.

Douglas Harvey bequeaths his perfect attendance record to any underclassman owning absent-minded alarm clocks.

1. Our Diane?
2. Qu'est-ce que c'est?
3. HEN-ry!
4. Senior enterprise.

5. Hot rod.
6. All dressed up with someplace to go.
7. Stumped, Louis?

8. Prayer meetin'?
9. Teacher's pets.
10. Our hero.
11. Senor Zoppo.

12. Serenade for Joan.
13. Master Farmers' Veep.
14. 'Nuff said.

DIRECTIONS



Dick Hausser leaves his height to the Sylvestre twins.
 Al Hersey leaves to Rags and Little Cabler his feud with Mr. Pullen.
 Bob Hill bequeaths his Buick to Fred Noe, P. G. in Library Work.
 Bob Hopler leaves, Mr. Helstrom willing.
 Nanci Hubbard leaves Jean McClintock to cope with future headaches alone.
 Joseph Jasontek dusts off his seat in Ag class for Tom Ward.
 Dave Keller leaves four years wiser.
 George Kelsey hands over his stage poise to Bob Yentema.
 Dawn Kersta leaves her five-year seat in Student Council to Ellen Chadwick.
 George Lare and Anthony Allocco leave their dimples to anyone who feels a wig
 and false teeth won't be quite enough twenty years from now.
 Bruce MacDougall leaves to Gabe LoSapio his way with women.
 Lilliane Masucci gives seat 4, row 5 in the P. A. D. room back to Mr. Helstrom, with
 the fervent wish that by next year he installs an electric heater in it.
 Lorraine Mazerall and Mary O'Neill leave for bigger and better skating rinks.
 Ray McLaughlin leaves his freckles to Max Factor for experimental purposes.
 Bob Mittl leaves the Key Club in need of a newsboy.
 Lee Neunzig gladly surrenders her mischievous raised eyebrow to some prim under-
 classman.
 Eugene O'Connor leaves his A's (?) in Physics to Bob Demeter.
 Louis Polise leaves his chances of being the President of Harvard to anyone trying
 for the job.
 Theresa Radzewich leaves P. A. D. with a sigh. (Of what, Terry?)
 Lois Richardson leaves Olivia Langford her desk in P. A. D. and hopes it will bring
 her good luck.
 Adrian Roberts leaves his seat in P. A. D. to his brother Nick.
 Shirley Ryan leaves Mr. Cooper breathless from running for the first aid kit!
 Marie Sabatini, Ann Marcellis, and Lorraine Micone leave the itinerary of their
 noon time excursions in Marie's car to future noon time drivers.
 Mary Lou Sandello leaves in search of more souvenirs.
 Lil Schindler leaves her adventurous summers at Bay Head to any daring under-
 classman seeking excitement.
 Freda Schoenhaar leaves her perky curls to anyone who has straight hair and can
 use them.
 Charles Schumann leaves his position as student head of the Projector Staff to
 Franklin Pearce.
 Dorothy Sciarrillo leaves her quietness to the entire Junior Class.
 Frances Sippel leaves Miss Middleton with a quiet Home Economics class.
 Sari Smith leaves her car and long rides to Merrill McClement.
 Tom Sodano leaves his virtuosity on the guitar to Don Daly.
 Donald Spencer reluctantly pries himself loose from his restful and comfortable seat
 in P. A. D.
 Frances Spera parts with some of her height to Ann Del Guidice.
 Mike Stewart leaves his ever-loving teachers in pieces and quiet.
 Barbara Tate leaves her muscles to Dottie Varro.
 Warren Wheeler says, "I leave my locker, all junk included—thank goodness!"
 Gretchen Yonkman would gladly leave her freckles to someone—anyone—if she
 only could!
 The Senior girls leave Ken Garrity minus a fan club.
 To the administration and faculty we extend our sincere gratitude for all the nice
 things, big and little, they have always done for us.
 To Madison High School—thanks for the memory!

Signed,
 THE CLASS OF 1950
 James Donato, President



1. Just looking
 around.
 2. Yeah? Well, prove
 it!
 3. The Hersey Doodle

Bug.
 4. John Garbo
 5. Ready, aim, shoot!
 6. $E=mc^2$
 7. Earnest ear-bend-

ing.
 8. No, no, a thousand
 times no!
 9. Hail, hail, the
 gang's all here!

10. Just resting.
 11. Dee by the sea.
 12. Court action.
 13. That Ipana smile.

JUNIORS

Abramides, A.
Adamson, C.
Ahles, R.
Ahto, C.
Allocco, M.
Amato, A.
Ardolino, N.
Atkins, T.
Auringer, D.
Axt, H.
Barnard, M.
Barr, G.
Barrett, A.
Behre, N.
Brower, J.
Burns, J.
Cabler, J.
Caccavale, W.
Carroll, W.
Cerciello, A.
Chiarlazio, N.
Collins, A.
Condit, K.
Corbett, J.
Coulas, T.
Craig, M.
Daly, D.
D'Andrea, P.
Davidson, C.
Davidson, D.
Dawson, E.
De Caro, J.
de Coutouly, Y.
De Graw, R.
Del Guidice, A.
Della Vecchia, M.
De Lorenzo, M.
De Marzo, D.
Demeter, R.
De Naro, R.
Detaranto, R.
De Velez, J.
Di Sarno, R.
Dorrance, D.
Dunn, J.
Earrusso, M.
Elder, J.
Eshelman, P.
Esposito, M.
Fisher, J.
Fornaro, C.
Forsyth, J.
Freda, R.
Freeman, H.
Gero, B.
Gerstle, L.
Green, W.
Groh, P.
Hackett, P.
Halbing, J.
Hall, E.
Hetterly, R.
Hohenstein, F.
Hopping, W.
Iossa, F.
Jocher, E.
Jones, E.
Joostema, H.

Jordan, M.
Joyner, W.
Kelly, D.
Kitchell, W.
Knevals, N.
Langford, O.
Leutchen, R.
Lo Sapio, G.
Lutz, R.
Mac Lean, J.
Marr, G.
McAdams, R.
Mc Clement, M.
McClintock, J.
Mollack, L.
Moore, D.
Nielsen, E.
Norton, I.
Noyes, M.
O'Hanlon, P.
Olander, I.
Orlando, C.
Palmer, P.
Parker, S.
Pearce, F.
Pepper, S.
Piccolo, C.
Pico, A.
Pico, C.
Pitts, C.
Potter, M.
Radmore, R.
Reddington, J.
Rice, B.
Riley, T.
Roberts, N.
Romano, V.
Sanderson, R.
Schalkoff, R.
Schwartz, J.
Sena, S.
Shaw, C.
Shrader, R.
Sipsky, H.
Smith, E.
Snyder, O.
Speir, R.
Steiger, R.
Steitz, P.
Super, R.
Talty, C.
Taylor, R.
Thomas, P.
Thornton, R.
Thurston, B.
Timmins, A.
Toop, N.
Tuttle, R.
Van Voorhis, M.
Van Wert, W.
Verra, B.
Vitale, J.
Ward, T.
Waters, D.
Wherry, A.
Wilcox, C.
Yentema, R.
Zeigler, J.



SOPHOMORES

Abraham, E.	Mastrobuono, J.
Alise, A.	Mc Adams, H.
Allen, L.	Mercurio, M.
Allocco, J.	Micone, H.
Altamura, E.	Miller, J.
Amato, J.	Mitchell, R.
Armstrong, H.	Montagna, A.
Baldwin, V.	Morgan, E.
Bartell, B.	Nichols, E.
Behre, A.	Nordling, J.
Beneduce, D.	Norman, J.
Berthelson, V.	O'Neill, J.
Brunner, J.	Palma, G.
Bruno, M.	Palma, P.
Buckley, J.	Palma, R.
Burnet, J.	Pelosi, S.
Burroughs, S.	Petley, C.
Buttinghausen, B.	Philhower, R.
Caprio, G.	Pico, A.
Carlson, D.	Picone, L.
Caughey, M.	Picone, L. J.
Chaffee, P.	Pielstick, E.
Chambers, P.	Pikaart, D.
Cochrane, L.	Poyck, A.
Connelly, S.	Prisco, J.
Connors, K.	Query, L.
Cuva, R.	Rapp, P.
Daniher, A.	Rayder, F.
Davidson, C.	Romano, A.
De Vine, T.	Romano, R.
D'heedene, R.	Ross, J.
Dougherty, J.	Scala, J.
Doty, B.	Schermerhorn, R.
Downey, R.	Sena, F.
Esposito, A.	Shockley, A.
Evans, C.	Smith, M.
Femminella, B.	Snyder, E.
Fenner, G.	Spagnolia, A.
Finelli, M.	Stair, C.
Flanagan, C.	Stover, R.
Fog, D.	Strickler, M.
Fondaco, P.	Swanson, F.
Garrity, K.	Swett, J.
Genoese, F.	Tietjen, P.
Gilliand, D.	Triggs, C.
Greene, H.	Troianello, A.
Hait, B.	Tucker, R.
Hand, G.	Vezzetti, B.
Hakes, L.	Weeden, C.
Hay, W.	Weiss, J.
Hetterly, A.	Williams, L.
Hinds, M.	Wirths, J.
Hoffmann, D.	Witwick, G.
Horne, J.	Wood, M.
Howard, E.	Zahn, V.
Izzo, G.	Zukswert, D.
Jackson, Y.	
Kiernan, T.	
Kinsman, W.	
Kleinert, A.	
Kohr, M.	
Kunich, R.	
Lare, S.	
Lassiter, G.	
Lewis, W.	
Lowe, J.	
Malakov, M.	
Marron, R.	

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FRESHMEN

Ahles, R.
Apgar, G.
Balderston, J.
Barker, J.
Bartell, P.
Barton, M.
Battin, J.
Behre, E.
Bowen, D.
Bryant, D.
Burt, M.
Cabler, J.
Carlsen, W.
Catalano, C.
Cathers, N.
Chadwick, E.
Chipoletti, M.
Cole, R.
Cooke, M.
Crowell, T.
Cummings, J.
Cutter, E.
Cuva, B.
Dalcero, B.
Dascoll, E.
Dawson, H.
Dorrance, N.
Dedrick, B.
Del Duca, S.
Del Signore, S.
De Sena, A.
De Sena, K.
Duehne, R.
Durham, S.
Elcock, G.
Ensinger, M.
Esposito, C.
Estey, E.
Ferrera, R.
Fetzer, B.
Fitzgerald, W.
Flaherty, T.
Ford, S.
Frederick, M.
Giaimo, R.
Giannone, A.
Girardot, B.
Goetsch, A.
Hadley, R.
Hall, J.
Hanson, A.
Hathaway, J.
Hawkins, F.
Hayes, A.
Henson, R.
Herbert, W.
Horsman, C.
Hubscher, W.
Hugo, W.
Izzo, C.
Jackson, E.
Johnson, L.
Jones, C.
Jordan, A.
Keefer, K.
Kelsey, E.
King, L.
Klein, J.
Kunich, F.
Kurtz, S.
La Verso, A.
La Verso, J.
Leatherman, H.
Liggins, E.
Lo Sapio, A.
Lo Sapio, J.
Mac Lean, E.
Mac Millan, K.
Maiello, J.

Mantone, P.
Marinaccio, F.
Mc Laughlin, E.
McLaughlin, T.
Mickey, W.
Miller, R.
Mitchell, V.
Mocerino, R.
Murphy, T.
Murray, B.
Murray, J.
Nelson, R.
Nicholson, E.
Nielsen, G.
Nolting, W.
Nossaman, D.
Nussbaum, R.
Olander, R.
O'Brien, D.
O'Neill, R.
Paknis, W.
Palk, V.
Palmer, S.
Parks, P.
Pattee, A.
Poole, H.
Radmore, J.
Randell, H.
Rees, H.
Reichert, D.
Roberts, J.
Romano, C.
Romano, S.
Rose, M.
Russo, N.
Sainato, F.
Schmidt, R.
Schneider, J.
Schnipper, G.
Schuler, E.
Schumann, E.
Scott, R.
Scull, L.
Scull, T.
Shepardson, S.
Smith, E.
Smith, J.
Smith, R.
Snyder, R.
Sodano, P.
Stellata, R.
Stover, R.
Suitt, C.
Sylvestre, M.
Sylvestre, R.
Teramoto, K.
Treene, M.
Tiefenthaler, R.
Trezza, S.
Tyler, B.
Vanderhoof, C.
Van Duyne, N.
Van Voorhis, S.
Vitale, S.
Wallace, Jane
Wallace, June
Walton, R.
Weaver, J.
Wells, R.
West, H.
Wetherell, A.
Wheeler, M.
Will, L.
Wilson, D.
Ziegler, A.

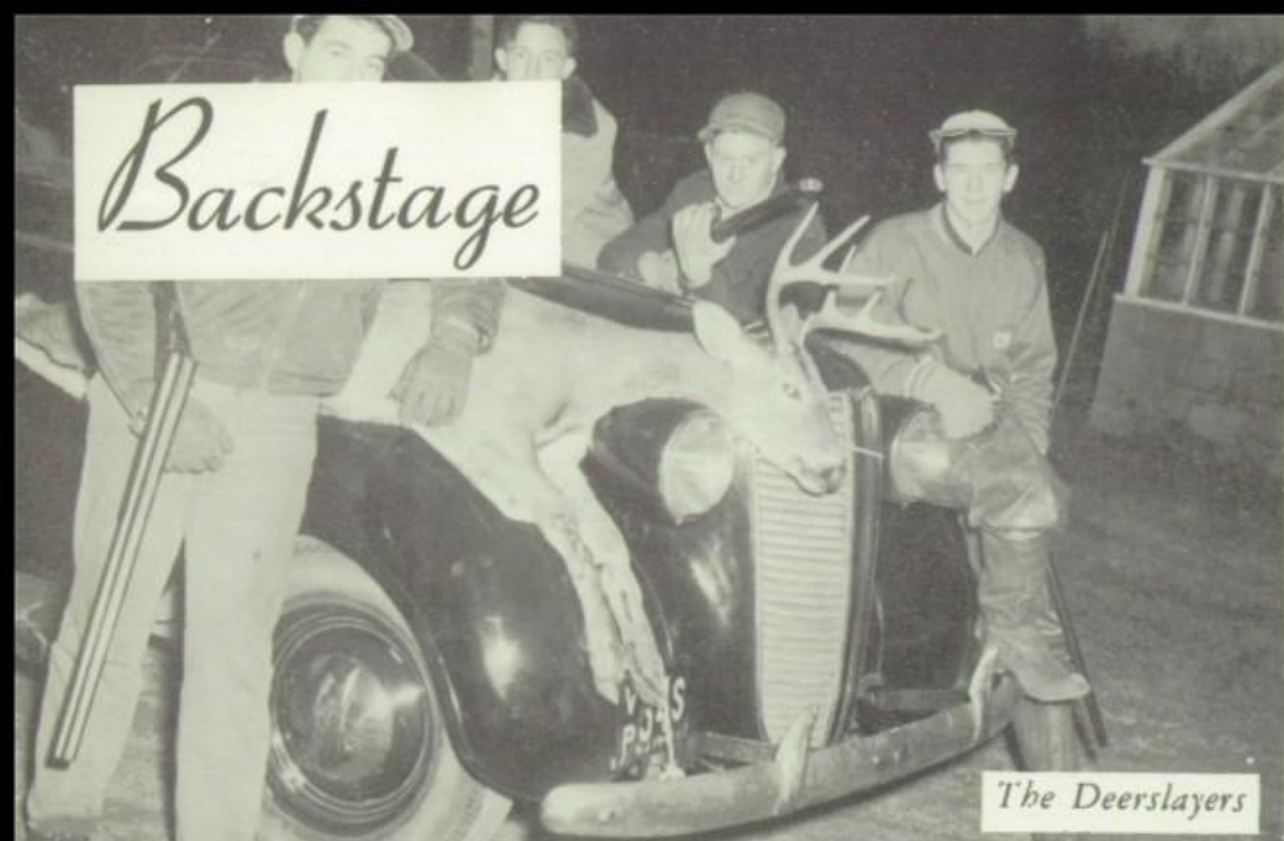


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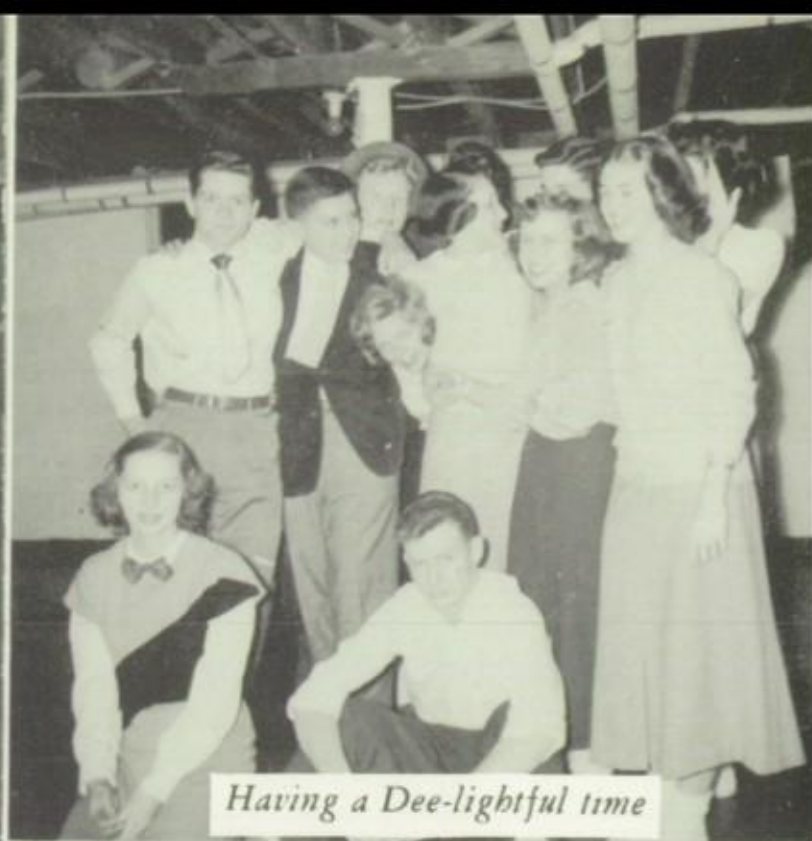
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 Bartell, R.
 Bataille, D.
 Bertram, D.
 Bond, M.
 Bonney, E.
 Browne, T.
 Campana, C.
 Carey, D.
 Cervone, A.
 Chapman, D.
 Colella, A.
 Colosimo, C.
 Corradini, B.
 Coultas, R.
 Craig, T.
 Cronin, D.
 Curtis, J.
 De Biasse, P.
 De Biasse, R.
 Diemer, E.
 Engle, C.
 Englund, R.
 Failmezger, G.
 Fate, B.
 Fenner, P.
 Fishman, S.
 Fog, R.
 Ford, J.
 Garrett, J.
 Genoese, J.
 Gero, J.
 Gerstle, R.
 Greco, A.
 Hall, J.
 Holt, C.
 Irving, C.
 Kohr, S.
 Krom, B.
 Mason, P.
 Matriciano, S.
 Montgomery, J.
 Moore, J.
 Mucerino, B.
 Netland, R.
 Oakley, B.
 Ochs, D.
 O'Donnell, S.
 Orlando, M.
 Packie, R.
 Pico, T.
 Picone, F.
 Poole, C.
 Prisco, A.
 Reddington, R.
 Robison, J.
 Rollins, N.
 Ryan, M.
 Rymer, W.
 Scala, J.
 Schieman, V.
 Sears, L.
 Sepe, J.
 Siegmund, H.
 Siegmund, W.
 Stevenson, P.
 Swan, G.
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 Whitley, P.
 Winkelman, W.

Backstage



The Deerslayers



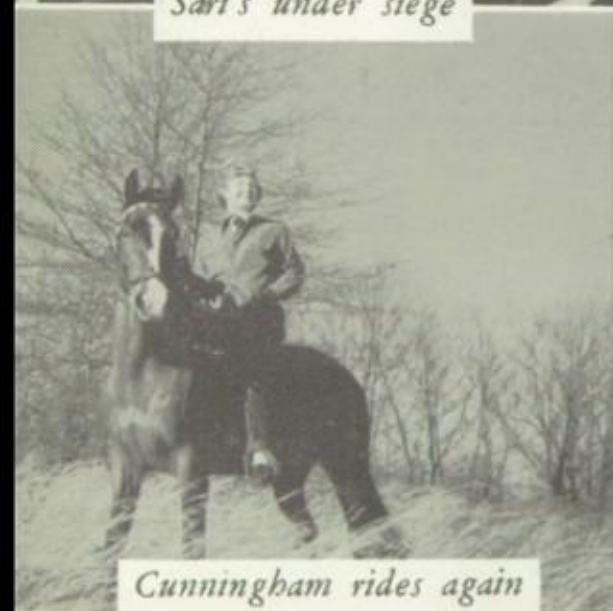
Having a Dee-lightful time



Sari's under siege



Grade 2 takes over the zoo



Cunningham rides again



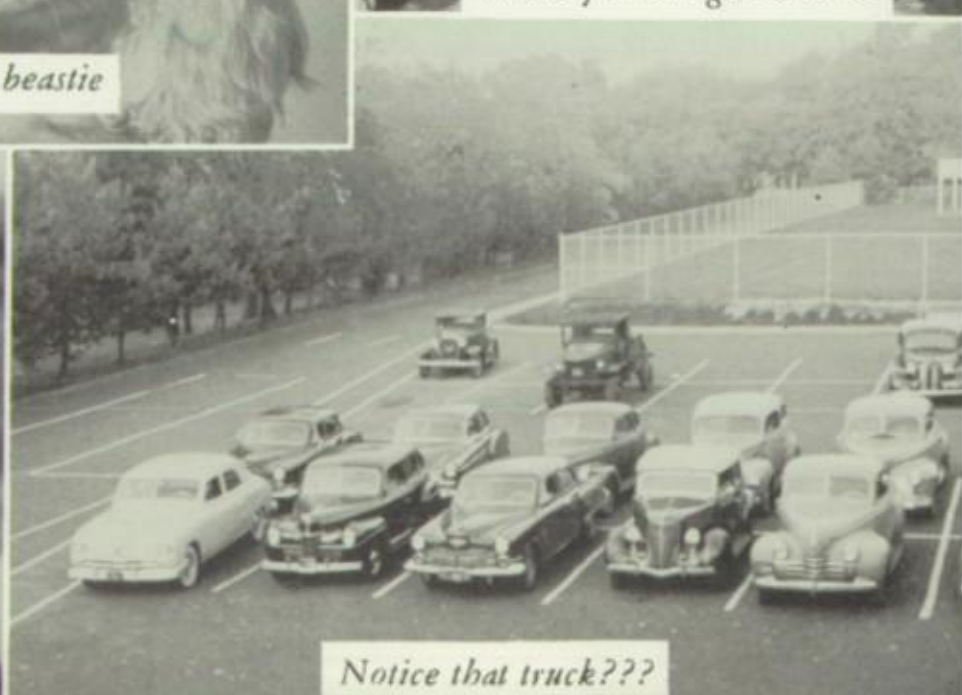
Beauty and the beastie



These Juniors get around



Sophisticated book-worms



Notice that truck???

ACT 2

ACT 2



BEHIND THE SCENES . . .
. . . ACTIVITIES



. . . JUST AS

. . . JUST AS the fare that the theater world extends to the theater-goer is a varied one, able to please almost every prospective patron, so, also, does Madison High School's activity program cover a broad scope. Somewhere in the number of activities offered to the student body every student can find a field of interest that appeals to him.

Typical of this variety are the three clubs described on the opposite page. For those creatively inclined there are many fields of work on the staffs of our three publications. For those interested in music, the curriculum offers a variety of opportunities.

Broadway has its play with a purpose. Madison High, too, has its purposeful clubs, like the Stage Crew, the Projector Staff, the Service Squad, the Cafeteria Staff, all of which render definite service to our school.

An important phase of the theatrical scene is the workshop type of play. One might say we, in a similar vein, have our workshop club—the Spanish, French, Chemistry and Explorers Clubs, and the Junior and Senior History Honor Societies.

Not all plays are presented in the vicinity of Times Square. Metropolitan hits have road companies that tour the country and train aspirants for opportunities to come. Some of our clubs, too, are chapters of larger organizations, such as the Junior Red Cross, the Key Club, and the Greenhands, Harvesters, and Master Farmers.

The individual purposes of these clubs are described in the following pages.

1. Intercepted pass
2. Relaxing
3. Uh, uh! Don't touch!

4. "As I was saying . . ."
5. Las Pinatas
6. Secretary's report

7. Don't lose those teeth, Tom!
8. M. H. S.
9. When a feller needs a friend



Objective: learning to play the guitar. Spanish type accompaniment is the specialty of the club, but some cowboy arrangements are also practiced.

PRESIDENT ----- Theresa Evanko
FACULTY SPONSOR - Mrs. Helstrom



LOS GUITARRISTAS CERVANTINOS

MAKE-UP CLUB



Sophomore, Junior, and Senior boys and girls learn to do stage make-up of all kinds.

FACULTY SPONSOR - Miss Hutchins

PRESIDENT ----- Marie Sabatini
VICE-PRESIDENT - Mary Lou Sandello
SECRETARY ----- Lilliane Masucci
TREASURER ----- Betty Bassi
FACULTY SPONSOR --- Miss Perlau



LIBRARY CLUB



Members charge out books and magazines, check them in, give a helping hand in answering reference questions, help in the various stages of preparing new books for the shelves—and have the pleasant annual custom of entertaining the faculty at a Book Week Tea.



OVERTURE



JUNIOR ORCHESTRA

Bob Coultas, Anthony Collala, Don Chapman, Joe Montgomery, Robert DeBiasse, George Swan, Sylvia Anderson, Diane Bertram, Bruce Oakley, Mr. Schwartz.

The man that hath no music in himself,
Nor is not moved with concord of sweet sounds,
Is fit for treasons, stratagems, and spoils.

The Merchant of Venice. Act V. Sc. 1

BAND

First row: C. Jones, J. Swett, B. Farrell, D. Bowen, D. West, J. Hall, C. Doty, D. Kesta, P. Bartell, F. Kunich. Second row: A. Daniher, H. Sipsky, K. McMillan, R. De-Biasse, A. Collins, L. Cox, K. Carlson, J. Smith, D. Waters, E. Chadwick, I. Norton. Third row: P. Eshelman, R. Coultas, E. Jones, J. Elder, Mr. Schwartz, P. Timmins, S. Smith, D. Daly, K. Teramoto, L. Allen. Fourth row: N. Nichols, N. Roberts, K. Condit.



A CAPPELLA CHOIR

Dear Mr. Timmins, it's been a year since we had our concert. I hope you are well. I'll see you next year. Ruth

Front and center: A. Adamson, T. Evanko, E. Neunzig, A. Flaherty, N. Hall, Mr. Joseph Francis, N. Cunningham, C. Shaw, J. DeVelez; M. Potter, J. McClintock. Second row: J. Schwartz, G. Yonkman, A. Browne, J. Hegeman, R. Sanderson, A. Wherry, S. Pelosi, R. Leuchten, E. Plotz, A. Monetti, A. Fornaro, D. Auringer, J. Mottola, D. Daly, B. Shacklock, P. Rapp, K. Condit, A. Smith, R. Bradley, N. Roberts, D. Fredrickson, R. Yentema, J. Ziegler, T. Douglass, G. Marr, D. Harvey, T. Sodano, R. Tucker, R. Smith, J. Fisher, P. O'Hanlon, P. Hackett, M. Smith, N. Heiland, B. Schreiner.

ORCHESTRA

Standing in back: A. Wherry, P. Eshelman, G. Caprio, S. Del Signore. Others from left to right: P. Timmins, D. Daly, R. Speir, K. Allen, M. Caughey, G. Barr, J. Elder, B. Abraham, Mr. Schwartz, H. Leatherman, J. Hall, J. Swett, N. Roberts, T. Coultas, C. Doty, E. Chadwick, E. Jones, R. Hetterly, D. Waters, K. Condit, S. Smith.



GIRLS' CHORUS

First row: A. Wetherell, E. Dascoll, V. Palk, C. Bailis, V. Mitchell, B. Murray, D. Nossaman, Y. De Coutouly, M. Lewis, C. Adamson, J. McClintock, J. DeVelez, N. Hall, A. Flaherty. Second row: Mr. Francis, M. Potter, B. Doty, J. Schwartz, S. Parker, E. Morgan, T. Evanko, A. Behre, M. Wheeler, T. Crowell, E. Neunzig, B. Scheiner, G. Yonkman, A. Browne. Third row: C. Shaw, R. Sanderson, I. Norton, H. Sipsky, F. Hohenstein, H. Leatherman, L. Query, D. Pikaart, C. Stair, V. Berthelson, N. Behre, J. Lowe. Fourth row: A. Shockley, N. Knevals, J. Fisher, I. Olander, M. Smith, S. Pelosi, A. Pielstick, Y. Jackson, E. Plotz, J. Hegeman, P. Hackett, J. Battin. Fifth row: J. Ross, A. Appgar, V. Baldwin, E. Estey, D. West, D. Bryant, E. Behre, R. Leuchten, A. Wherry, P. O'Hanlon, N. Heiland.



Dress Parade



Majorettes



Let's bar-mo-nize



Male Quartette



First row: L. Freeman, R. Hill, Mr. Starkey, L. Schindler, Miss Perlaw, Miss Bricker, N. Hall, C. Crane, S. Ryan, C. Schumann. Second row: B. Brinkerhoff, J. Mottola, P. Hubbard, M. Sandello, M. Maccario, M. Del Giudice, L. De Angelis, Ann Marcellis. Standing: R. Mittl, N. Hubbard, D. Juras, T. Douglass, T. Sodano, C. Fry, N. Heiland, J. Mitchell, A. Browne, B. Schreiner, L. Masucci, M. Naples, B. Bassi, L. Micone, M. Sabatini, C. Romano, T. Evanko, J. Clark.

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Phoebe Hubbard	Tom Sodano

Michael Stewart

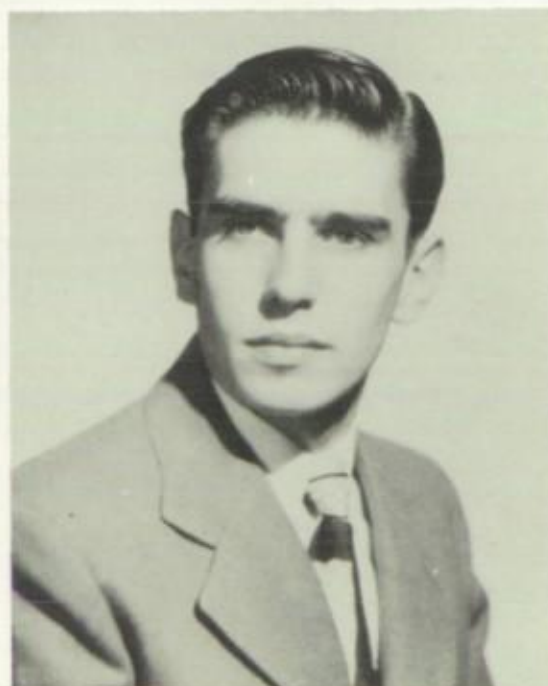


EDITORS

Standing: J. Clark, T. Douglass, J. Mottola. Seated: R. Mittl, M. Sabatini, B. Brinkerhoff, C. Schumann, R. Ahles, N. Hall, D. Juras.



MISS ALICE PERLAW
Adviser



ROBERT MITTL
Editor-in-Chief



Miss Bricker, Annabelle Flaherty, and Mrs. Aimer are evidently satisfied with the latest Dodge.

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 Charles Schumann
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Not only do they build all scenery and work on plays for school, but members are also on duty in the auditorium every Thursday noon, preparing for assembly.

STAGE MANAGER ----- George Marr
 ASSISTANT STAGE MANAGERS
 Louis Freeman
 Charles Schumann
 FACULTY SPONSOR ----- Miss Hutchins



STAGE CREW

FIRE SQUAD



The Fire Squad helps the students and faculty to realize the importance of quick, orderly action in case of a fire and to lead actively in case of such an emergency.

FIRE CHIEF ----- Bob Hopler
 DEPUTY FIRE CHIEF -- Louis Freeman
 FACULTY SPONSOR ----- Mr. Cooper

CAFETERIA STAFF

Tasty, well-balanced, yet inexpensive noon-time meals are prepared by Mrs. Sharen with the assistance of Mrs. Ahto, and served by student helpers. Bol Hetterly acts as cashier.

FACULTY SPONSOR ----- Miss Monteith





The purpose of the Attendance Staff is to prepare the morning and afternoon bulletins to pupils and teachers. They collect absence slips and excuses for absence, centralize the information, and compile daily absentee lists.

FACULTY SPONSORS -- Miss Ackerman
Mr. Joseph Francis

ATTENDANCE STAFF

SERVICE SQUAD



These members are student supervisors of the lunchroom, ushers in assembly, and monitors in the hall. A traffic squad directs traffic at the west end of the building.

CAPTAINS: Dorothy Apgar, Bob Mittl, Evalyn Plotz, Al Smith, Gretchen Yonkman.
FACULTY SPONSOR ----- Mr. Starkey



PROJECTOR STAFF



Members of this staff operate projection equipment whenever and wherever the need arises.

FACULTY SPONSOR ----- Mr. Koehler

Students learn songs, dances, music, and games of Spanish speaking countries. This group provided the dances and the bull fight at the Bernardsville game.



PRESIDENT ----- Mary Lou Sandello
VICE-PRESIDENT ----- John McLean
SECRETARY ----- Barbara Bartell
TREASURER ----- Ann Marcellis
REPORTER ----- Helen Sipsky
SPONSORS ----- Mrs. Ferrucci
 Mrs. Helstrom
 Mr. Zoppo

Members become acquainted with customs, games, songs, dances, and music of France. Among the club's accomplishments are the party, the Creche, and caroling at Christmas.

PRESIDENT ----- Nancy Hall
VICE-PRESIDENT ----- George Marr
SECRETARY ----- Dawn Zukswert
TREASURER ----- Sari Smith
REPORTER ----- Nanci Hubbard
SPONSORS ----- Mrs. Ferrucci
 Mrs. Helstrom



Through monthly meetings and field trips, these students have a better understanding of and appreciation for the importance of science in modern life.

PRESIDENT ----- Bob Mittl
VICE-PRESIDENT ----- Al Smith
SECRETARY ----- Carolyn Fry
TREASURER ----- Warren Wheeler
REPORTER ----- Alice Browne
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SPANISH CLUB



FRENCH CLUB CHEMISTRY CLUB





SENIOR HISTORY HONOR SOCIETY

Students who have superior ability in the Social Studies are given additional opportunity to exploit their interests through such activities as forums, field trips, speakers, and movies.



PRESIDENT ----- Alice Browne
VICE-PRESIDENT ----- Jean Elder
SECRETARY ----- Joan Barker
TREASURER ----- Robert Yentema
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The Senior History Honor Society, above, is made up of Juniors and Seniors. This Junior group is composed of Freshmen and Sophomores.

PRESIDENT ----- Kathleen Connor
VICE-PRESIDENT ----- Wilma Kinsman
SECRETARY ----- Diane Bowen
TREASURER ----- Betty Tyler
FACULTY SPONSOR ----- Miss Croot



JUNIOR HISTORY HONOR SOCIETY EXPLORERS CLUB

The "Explorers" learn about the activities of our community and nearby ones by visits to places like the Municipal Building, Drew University, and industrial establishments.

PRESIDENT ----- Tom Craig
VICE-PRESIDENT ----- Harry Siegmund
SECRETARY ----- Jean Curtis
PROGRAM CHAIRMAN ----- Richard Gerstle
FACULTY SPONSOR ----- Miss Lowry





GREENHANDS

This Sophomore club tends to promote good will and co-operation among the members and to develop leadership. The group is developing a cattle judging team, and is conducting soil testing services.

PRESIDENT ----- Daniel O'Neill
 VICE-PRESIDENT ----- Roger Downey
 SECRETARY ----- Anthony Montagna
 TREASURER ----- Francis Sena
 FACULTY SPONSOR ----- Mr. Guerin



Good luck to a "big wheel"
 upper classman, Don't let
 it throw you Tom

Familiarity with different kinds of livestock, farm machinery, field crops, plant and animal diseases and insects is the objective of this beginning Agriculture group.

PRESIDENT ----- Frank Marinaccio
 VICE-PRESIDENT ----- Wayne Nolting
 SECRETARY ----- James Smith
 TREASURER ----- Eugene Cutter
 FACULTY SPONSOR ----- Mr. Guerin



HARVESTERS



MASTER FARMERS

This Junior-Senior group is the policy making club for the Agriculture Department, and by precept and example sets the pace for project work, general scholarship, and community activities.

PRESIDENT ----- Adrian Roberts
 VICE-PRESIDENT ----- Michael Esposito
 SECRETARY ----- Robert Super
 TREASURER ----- Thomas Ward
 FACULTY SPONSOR ----- Mr. Guerin



The Junior Red Cross has one objective—service to others. It aims to serve the community and the veterans, and to foster international relations through the exchange of booklets and gift boxes.

PRESIDENT ----- Nancy Behre
 VICE-PRESIDENT ----- Patricia Hackett
 SECRETARY ----- Wilma Kinsman
 TREASURER ----- George Marr
 FACULTY SPONSOR -- Miss Middleton



JUNIOR RED CROSS

KEY CLUB

*Dear Ned
 Best of luck
 on your Baritone
 Keith.*

Purpose: to develop initiative and leadership through service to school and community.

PRESIDENT ----- Robert Bradley
 VICE-PRESIDENT ----- Al Smith
 SECRETARY ----- George Marr
 TREASURER ----- Ralph Tucker
 LT. GOVERNOR ----- Burton Shacklock
 FACULTY SPONSOR ----- Mr. Penney

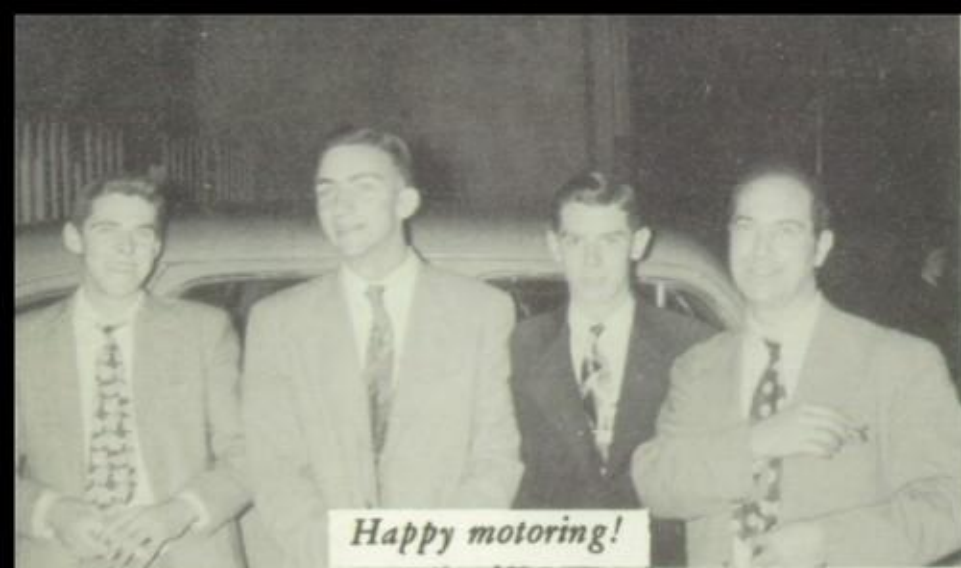


HALL MONITORS

Last, but by no means least in the varied activities in M. H. S., is this newly organized group which makes a definite contribution to the smooth-running efficiency of our school. Hall Monitors, a new division of the Service Squad, are on duty in the hall during class periods to assist visitors or check for passes.

FACULTY SPONSOR ----- Mr. Starkey





Happy motoring!



Voici le chapeau



Optical illusion?



The long and short of it



That after lunch look



Walks in beauty



It is to laugh



The thinker



Got a match?



Roped in



Smiling Sophs



An ax to grind



Life can be beautiful



Have you seen your psychoanalyst lately?



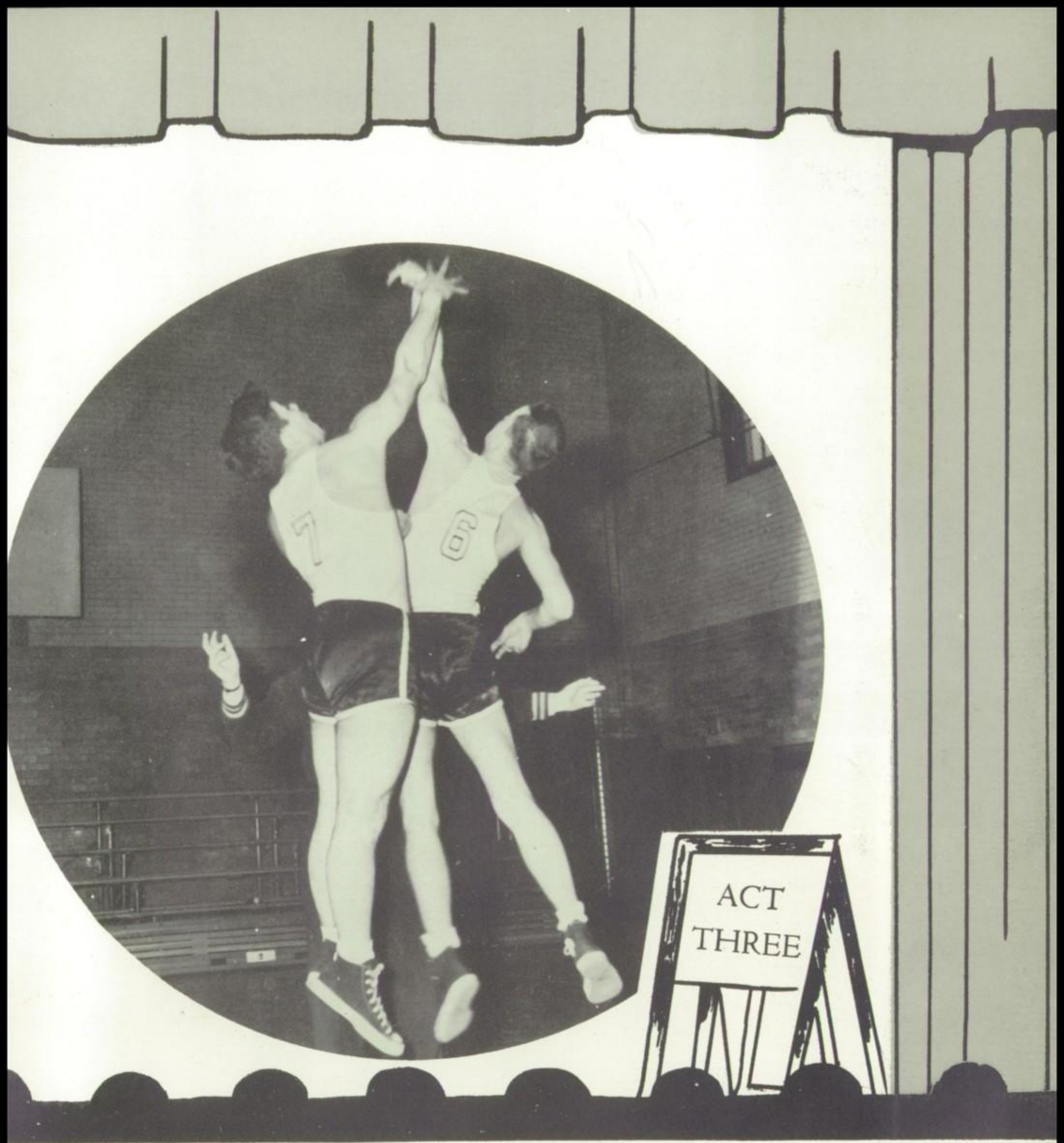
That was a good one!



Elbow bending



Dare me?



ATHLETICS

Broadway has its hits, runs, and errors. So, in a manner of speaking, do all sports. In both fields of activity, players, while striving for success, gain certain invaluable qualities regardless of box office or score board results. Experience, confidence, teamwork, losing and winning like a good sport—these are what really count in the final tally.

FOOTBALL



First row: C. Orlando, P. Palma, J. Donato, J. Laden, L. Kersta, J. Corbett, J. Mastrobuono, R. Freda, G. Cimaglia, A. Abrimides, R. Tucker, S. Sena, G. Lo Sapio, B. Diacik. Second row: Al Hersey, T. Coultas, R. Schermerhorn, W. Carroll, S. Burroughs, C. Weeden, P. Thomas, C. Piccola, C. Fornaro, W. Kitchell, J. Clark, B. Shacklock, C. Ahto, R. McLaughlin. Third row: Assistant Coach J. Francis, Manager R. Dikovics, J. Izzo, R. Hetterly, W. Joyner, A. Smith, D. Frederickson, R. Bradley, C. Pitts, K. Garrity, J. Campbell, R. Radmore, B. Buttinghausen, Assistant Manager F. Pearce, Head Coach De Armott.

VARSITY TEAM

Charles Ahto
Robert Bradley
Sam Burroughs
Tom Coultas
William Diacik
James Donato, Captain
Carmine Fornaro
Donald Fredrickson
Kenneth Garrity
Al Hersey
Robert Hetterley
Joseph Izzo
William Joyner
Larry Kersta
Jack Laden
Gabe Lo Sapio
John Mastrobuono
Ray McLaughlin
Corini Orlando
Carl Piccola
Charles Pitts
Richard Radmore
Burton Shacklock
Al Smith
Richard Dikovics, *Manager*

RESERVE

Arthur Abrimides
Bruce Buttinghausen
William Carroll
John Clark
John Corbett
Rocco Freda
William Kitchell
Patsy Palma
Ryer Schermerhorn
Sal Sena
Paul Thomas
Ralph Tucker
Charles Weeden
Franklin Pearce, *Manager*

We'll never be able to forget "Those Lucky Ole Suns" of the gridiron, the most colorful team in the history of Madison High. We'll always remember the way they went from game to game singing, "That Lucky Ole Sun," which is the most beautiful song ever written, in the opinion of every Madison football rooter. They made it their theme song and because of them it won't die for a long time around here.

The team wasn't any powerhouse as its record shows. However, it never stopped fighting until the game was over.

According to tradition, they opened the season by beating Butler. The other teams were not the pushovers that Butler appeared to be. The "Lucky Ole Suns" kept rolling along, winning one here, dropping one there, but never losing their fighting spirit.

One game in which the undying spirit of the "Lucky Ole Suns" really shone was at Caldwell. This game, which started as a football game and ended as a wrestling match, is far and away the best example of the style of play which we can never forget.

There were so many fellows on the team whose play was unforgettable. Little Willie Diacik, one of the fastest halfbacks the Suburban Conference has ever seen, Skip Coultas, one of the best quarterbacks Madison has ever had, Jimmy Donato, Al Smith, Gabe Lo Sapio, and Joe Izzo are the boys who stand out in all our memories for their skill, spirit, and fight.

Jimmy Donato was elected Captain of the team at the end of the season.

The team record of two wins, five defeats, and one tie is hardly overwhelming to the casual observer, but records don't always tell the story and the record of the "Lucky Ole Suns" is no exception.

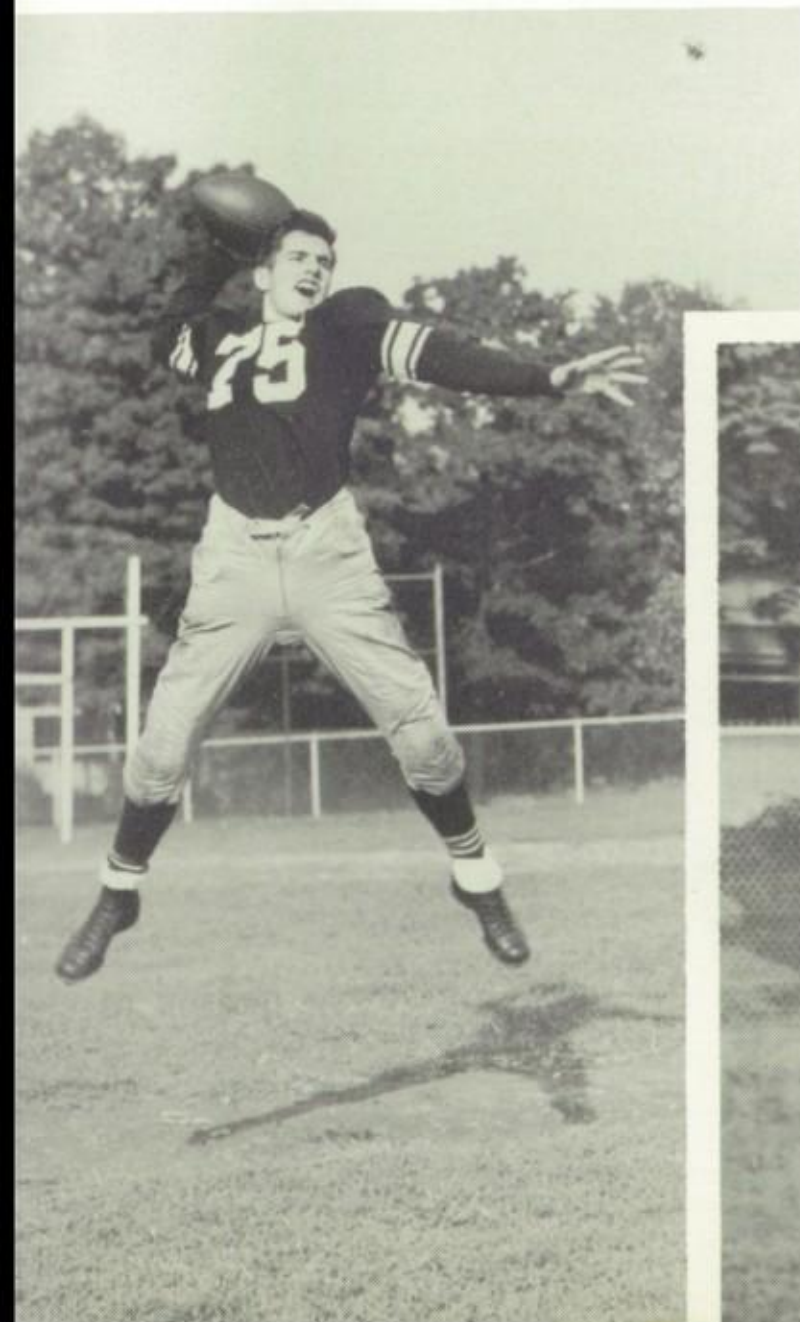


*"Now go in there
and . . ."*



Assistant Coach Francis surveys the field

McLaughlin



Bradley

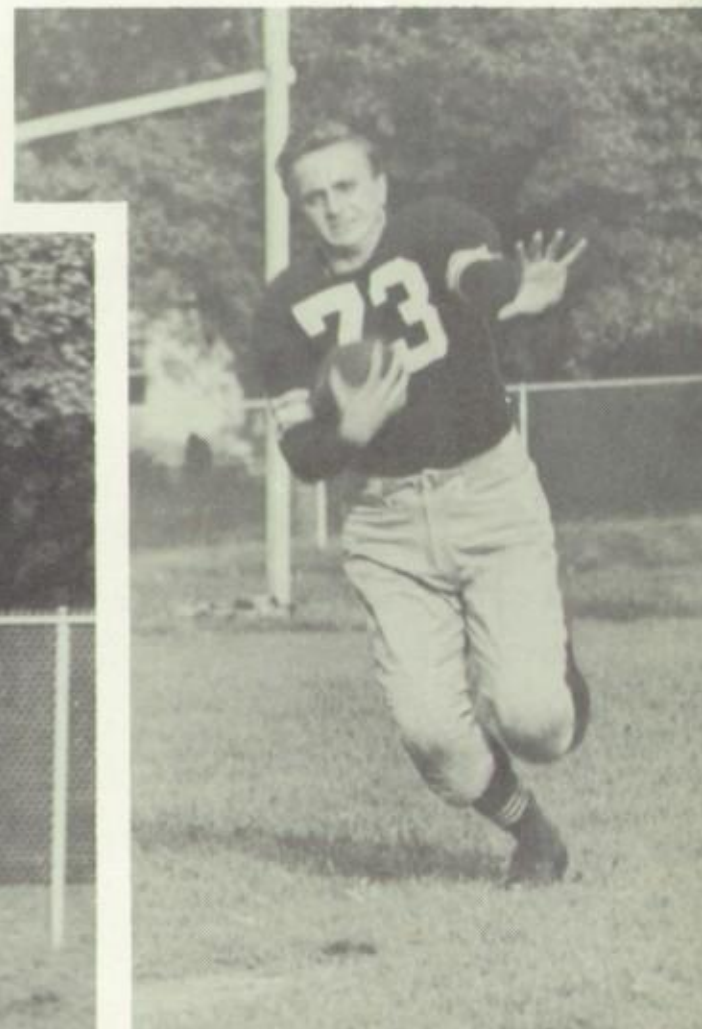


SEASON'S RECORD		
	Opponents	Madison
Butler	12	25
Caldwell	26	0
Boonton	13	26
Verona	12	12
Summit	20	7
Bernardsville	27	6
Glen Ridge	26	12
Millburn	12	0
Won—2.		
Lost—5.		
Tie—1.		

Coach DeArmott



*Head Football Coach
H. W. DeArmott*



Diacik



FRESHMAN-SOPHOMORE FOOTBALL TEAM

First row: Gabe Palma, Tony Lo Sapio, Jack Weaver, Ronald Nussbaum, Eddie Snyder, Brad Hait, Bob Ahles, Tom McLaughlin, Charles Suitt, Neil Mastrobuono, Anthony Spagnolia, Richard Snyder. Second row: Sal Palmer, Arnold Goetsch, Bruce Dedrick, Richard Duehne, Avery Kleinert, Michael Frederick, Barney Vezzetti, Charles Di Taranto, Dave Hoffman, Bill Mickey, Tony Minetti. Third row: Coach Pullen, Robert Tiefenthaler, Ed Jackson, Frank Marinaccio, Bob Stover, Bob Radmore, Bob Henson, Ragnar Olander, Mike Chipoletti, Fred Sainato, Louis Picone, Manager Louis Williams.

FRESHMEN SOPHOMORE FOOTBALL

The Freshman-Sophomore Team had a very successful season. They won four out of six games and provided plenty of thrills for the school. There is a lot of varsity material on this squad and it wouldn't be too surprising to see quite a few of them on next year's Varsity. Quite a few members of this team were taken up to the Varsity before the season began, which makes their record very impressive.

TEAM RECORD

	Opponents	Madison
Morristown	0	12
Boonton	0	7
Verona	13	14
Summit	19	0
Millburn	26	7
Glen Ridge	0	14

Coach—Mr. Pullen





Ann Apgar, Captain

VARSITY CHEERLEADERS

In the form of an M: Barbara Doty, Helen Micone, Lillian Schindler, Janet Schwartz, Merrill McClement, Ann Apgar, Dolores Moore, Gretchen Yonkman, Joan Holly, Shirley Ryan. Standing: Mrs. McKay, Faculty Sponsor.



Judy Horne and Lee Ann Query
Co-Captains

JUNIOR VARSITY CHEERLEADERS

Barbara Murray, Doris Nossaman, Eugenie Dascoll, Diane Bowen, Judy Horne, Lee Ann Query, Betty Tyler, Libby Estey. Faculty Sponsor - Mrs. McKay



John George, Chairman

VARSITY TICKET REPRESENTATIVES

Faculty Sponsor, Miss Mcnteith



SUPPORTING THE TEAMS



VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM

First row: Jim Donato, Don Spencer, Larry Kersta, Fred Iossa, George Lassiter. Standing: Manager Ellis Jones, Nick Roberts, Ken Garrity, Bob Bradley, Dick Radmore, Al Hersey, Bruce Buttinghausen, Coach Pullen.

*Ned
Be a good boy
this summer & I'll see you
Care of Dad & I'll see you
around then*



Ellis Jones, Manager, and Coach Pullen discuss some Varsity Basketball details.

Madison's hoopsters didn't have a very successful season, but they provided us with a lot of thrills. Captained by "Little Bob" Bradley, they played some beautiful games, won some thrillers, and lost a few heart-breakers. They played like professionals against Chatham's highly regarded quintet, but lost to a few teams that were not nearly so good as the teams they beat easily.

The team was made up of Seniors who had previous experience and some Sophomores and Juniors who had only played Jayvee basketball. Bob Bradley, Al Hersey, and Jim Donato were the only regulars with previous varsity experience, while Kenny Garrity and George Lassiter, who are Sophomores, played a lot.

The two Chatham games will be tops in everyone's memory for a long time. We lost the first game in the last seconds on a lucky shot. It was the most heart-breaking game the team played all season. They didn't lose their self confidence, but came back to beat Chatham on their home court.

All in all, the team won three and lost fourteen games, which is about as bad a record as Madison has had in many years. We had an inexperienced team and a very young team. The Sophomores, who played well but could have used a little more time to learn more about basketball, have gained a lot of experience and should really prove themselves next year.

Captain Bob Bradley was the high scorer for the season with an average of fourteen points per game. Al Hersey made seventy-two per cent of the foul shots he attempted, which is considered remarkable in high school ball.

They gave us something to cheer about and something to cry about, but most of all they gave us the thrills and excitement that are present in all good basketball records.

BASKETBALL



JUNIOR VARSITY

First row: Ryer Schermerhorn, John Mastrobuono, Kenneth Teramoto, Brad Hait, Jack Weaver, Dick Duehne, Sal Palmer. Standing: Coach Penney, Ralph Cole, George Fenner, Ragnar Olander, Bob Philhoyer, John Swett, Ed Jackson, Frank Marinaccio.

VARSITY RECORD

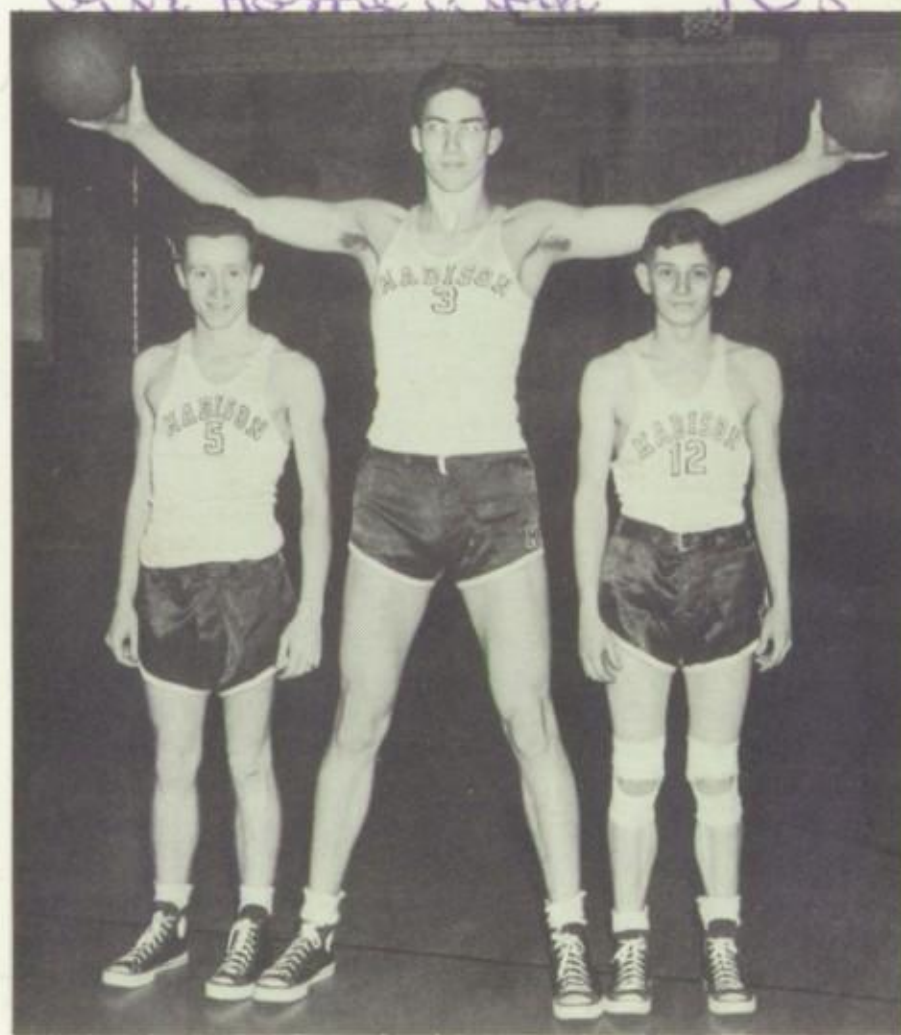
	Opponents	Madison
Passaic Valley	44	22
Scotch Plains	46	35
Alumni	35	43
Glen Ridge	56	50
Summit	38	49
Verona	50	32
Millburn	50	35
Caldwell	44	38
Chatham	40	38
Glen Ridge	32	37
Summit	46	27
Verona	46	29
Millburn	71	50
Caldwell	76	43
Chatham	38	41
Clifford Scott	60	54
Scotch Plains	47	37

Won—4.
Lost—13.

J. V. BASKETBALL RECORD

	Opponents	Madison
Passaic Valley	25	23
Scotch Plains	58	40
Glen Ridge	29	32
Summit	23	40
Verona	26	31
Millburn	31	44
Caldwell	30	32
Chatham	27	29
Glen Ridge	28	32
Summit	34	25
Verona	28	27
Millburn	68	28
Caldwell	23	18
Chatham	32	30
Clifford Scott	30	12
Scotch Plains	44	40

Need
Thanks for all the
times you told me,
"I'll be home with J.O.S."



Bob Bradley—top man in scoring points as well as in height—with Don Spencer and Larry Kersta.

VARSITY TEAM



First row: Manager Murray, De Maria, Hoffmann, Snyder, Groh, Roscigno, Donato, Daly, Coach Wilson. Second row: Bundschuh, De Palma, Lusardi, Lowe, Keller, Cimaglia, Diacik. Third row: Sandello, Tyrone, Douglass, Stewart, Hopler, Kersta.

1949 VARSITY RECORD

	Opp.	M.H.S.
Glen Ridge	0	6
Millburn	5	11
Verona	7	5
Chatham	12	1
Caldwell	8	4
Summit	10	7
Glen Ridge	0	5
(8 innings)		
Millburn	4	8
Chatham	5	4
Verona	17	6
Caldwell	4	1
Summit	2	0
Won—4.		
Lost—8.		

Coach—Mr. Wilson

BASEBALL

When the season started, the team looked unbeatable. After winning the first two by virtue of John Daly's superb pitching, the Dodgers lost four straight. After that it seemed that all we could do was to beat Glen Ridge and Millburn.

The high spots of the season were John Daly's two one-hitters, and Dave Keller's relief job at Verona, after two of our best pitchers could not stop their barrage.

Two men that impressed everyone last year were Mike Roscigno, third base, and Pete Groh at first base.

First row: Coach Pullen, Lo Sapio, Garrity, Caccavale, Porcaro, Orlando, Mastrobuono, Alocco, Buttinghausen. Second row: Speir, Thomas, Kiernan, Snyder, Piccolo, Williams, De Caro, Buckley. Third row: Manager Arthur Abrimides, Gannon, Hetterly, Van Wert, Corbett, Piccone, Roberts.



1949 J. V. RECORD

	Opp.	M.H.S.
Millburn	4	7
Chatham	1	4
Caldwell	2	5
Summit	7	8
Millington Jr. High		
(11 innings)	10	9
Millburn	3	6
Chatham	4	5
Caldwell	0	4
Millington Jr. High	4	5
Summit	2	0
Won—8.		
Lost—2.		

Coach—Mr. Pullen

J. V. BASEBALL

THE RECORD—1949

Opp. M.H.S.

Millburn	3	2
Caldwell	2	3
Summit	2	3
Verona	2	3
Glen Ridge	2	3
Millburn	4	1
Caldwell	0	5
Summit	2	3
Verona	1	4
Glen Ridge	1	4

Won—8.

Lost—2.

Placed second in Suburban Conference.

Coach—Mr. Lockhart

First row: Dana Kelly, Coach Lockhart, Alva Collins. Second row: Frank Davidson, George Lassiter, Bob Bradley, Bill Hayward, George Fenner.



TENNIS

GOLF

Best Wishes!!! This is a sincere message to a fellow who I hope I will know all my life. You and I have many mutual feelings, companionships and results!!!

	Opponents	Madison
Union	3	9
Verona	1	11
Caldwell	10	8
Millburn	7	5
Chatham	11½	10½
Millburn	6	6
Caldwell	6½	8½
Verona	11½	10½
Union	4	8
Chatham	1	11

Coach—Mr. Koehler

Won the Suburban Conference Championship at Glen Ridge.

Won—8.

Tied—1.

Lost—2.

Alva Collins

Dana

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TRACK

Opp. M.H.S.

Caldwell	59½	57½
Chatham	49	68
Millburn	50	67
Summit	83	34
Chatham	51½	65½
Boonton	46½	70

Won—4.

Lost—2.

Suburban Conference Meet at Glen Ridge. Scored 27½ points and placed 4th.

Morris County Meet at Morristown. Scored 20½ points and placed 5th.

Coach—Mr. Helstrom

Assistant Coach—Mr. Zoppo

First row: Lucius Bullock, Bob Stover, Avery Kleinert, Sal Sena, Charles Pitts, George Kelsey, Al Hersey, John Swett, Bill Kitchell, John Clark. Second row: Coach Zoppo, Doug Crutchfield, Keith Condit, Don Frederickson, Bob Swett, Joe Izzo, Dick Hartenstein, Al Garreffa, Coach Helstrom.





GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

First row: Schwartz, Apgar, Zukswert, Ryan, Hubbard, Adamson, Doty, McClintock, Knevals. Second row: Fisher, O'Hanlon, Atkins, Hall. Third row: Micone, Mitchell, Parker, Bowen, Mrs. McKay.



Thelma Atkins, G.A.A. President.

G. A. A. OFFICERS

President	Thelma Atkins
Vice-President	Patty O'Hanlon
Treasurer	Nancy Hall
Dance Chairman	Shirley Ryan
Hockey Manager	Nancy Hubbard
Ass't. Hockey Manager	Barbara Doty
Basketball Manager	Joan Fisher
Point Manager	Carol Adamson
Eagle Representative	Dawn Zukswert
G.A.A. Show Chairmen	Ann Apgar Janet Schwartz
Program Selling Chairmen	Nancy Knevals Jean McClintock

Class Representatives:

Senior	Joan Mitchell
Junior	Sue Parker
Sophomore	Helen Micone
Freshman	Diane Bowen



Mrs. McKay, seated, rejoicing with Gretchen Yonkman and Thelma Atkins, All-State Hockey members.



Senior G.A.A. Dance Chairmen



Dance Chairman and escort



Mike Santa Claus Stewart

Under the guidance of Mrs. McKay, the G.A.A. has again scored high. The annual dance, this time called "The Holiday Inn," was one of the social events of the year. Shirley Ryan was the very capable dance chairman. The popularity of the G.A.A. is shown by the attendance at these dances. A spring show, which is fast becoming a tradition, is again being planned this year.

Although it features many social activities, the G.A.A. is still an athletic association. Led by their captains and Mrs. McKay, the teams show a truly competitive spirit. Intra-mural sports this year have added greatly to this spirit. The awarding of major and minor letters at the end of the year give the girls added incentive to compete in more sports.

Two years ago, Mrs. McKay added archery to the program. That year girls placed first in the Panzer Archery Tournament. It is hoped that the gold cup, which was in our possession, will again be ours this year.

As both the G.A.A. and its agenda continue to grow by leaps and bounds, it is evident that it is a necessary club where all the girls in the school can compete in sports and participate in social activities.

Its President for 1949-1950, Thelma Atkins, truly reflects the spirit the G.A.A. represents.



Basketball Captains



State Hockey Entrants

FRESHMAN-SENIOR HOCKEY TEAM

First row: J. Mitchell, E. Neunzig, E. Plotz, A. Browne, N. Hall, G. Yonkman, P. Hubbard, L. Schindler, T. Atkins, S. Ryan, S. Smith. Second row: Mrs. McKay, B. Tate, B. Schreiner, T. Evanko, L. Masucci, J. Balderston, M. Rose, D. Bowen, J. Hall, J. Battin, C. Doty, N. Hubbard, N. Heiland. Third row: V. Palk, J. Hathaway, B. Tyler, M. Barton, B. Girardot, D. Nossaman, H. Leatherman, D. Dalcero, A. Ziegler, B. Murray, E. Chadwick. Fourth row: S. Van Voorhis, S. Shepardson, E. Estey, D. West, P. Bartell, B. MacLean, B. MacAllister, S. Durham, G. Schnipper, V. Mitchell, P. Parks. Fifth row: R. Smith, E. McLaughlin, D. Varro, J. Roberts, R. Sylvester, S. Sodano, S. Del Signore, C. Vanderhoof, E. Dascoll, J. Wallace.



GIRLS' HOCKEY

This year brought an unprecedented turnout of girls for the hockey season.

The Seniors, captained by Gretchen Yonkman, broke even by winning two games and losing two. The Juniors, led by Ann Del Guidice and Marjory Lewis, had a good season, winning three games, and losing only one. The Sophomores, whose co-captains were Martha Kohr and Joanne Lowe, lost one game and won one. The Freshmen, headed by Betty Girardot and Denny West, lost one game and won none. Next year should prove to be a victorious season for the Juniors.

Congratulations to the five girls who went to the All-State Hockey Tournament. Thelma Atkins, left wing, and Gretchen Yonkman, right inner, made the first team. Those who entered were Carol Doty, Nancy Hall and Jean McClintock.

HOCKEY CAPTAINS

First row: M. Lewis, T. Atkins, G. Yonkman, A. Del Guidice. Second row: J. Lowe, D. West, B. Girardot, M. Kohr.

SOPHOMORE-JUNIOR HOCKEY

First row: M. McClement, M. Craig, J. Halbing, A. Cerciello, P. Palmer, M. Lewis, A. Del Giudice, S. Davidson, C. Adamson, Y. DeCoutouly, S. Parker, M. Barnard. Second row: Mrs. McKay, A. Wherry, P. O'Hanlon, O. Langford, J. McClintock, A. Apgar, N. Knevals, J. Schwartz, J. Elder, D. Dorrance, J. Fisher, M. Potter, D. Moore. Third row: D. Pikaart, M. Kohr, B. Doty, B. Bartell, J. Horne, A. Hetterly, M. Caughey, D. Zukswert, A. Shockley, E. Pielstick, P. Chambers. Fourth row: M. Wood, J. Lowe, C. Stair, D. Fog, M. Hinds, G. Hand, C. Evans, S. Lare, H. Micone, R. Cuva, J. Prisco. Fifth row: S. Pelosi, W. Kinsman, L. Query, M. Smith, J. Wirths, B. Abraham, C. Petley, F. Swanson, R. Mitchell, M. Strickler.



FRESHMAN SENIOR BASKETBALL

First row: J. Mitchell, E. Neunzig, E. Plotz, A. Browne, N. Hall, N. Hubbard, T. Atkins, P. Hubbard, L. Schindler, S. Ryan, D. Apgar. Second row: Mrs. McKay, J. Dusenberry, J. Holly, B. Tate, T. Evanko, L. Masucci, M. Maccario, B. Schreiner, C. Doty, N. Heiland, G. Yonkman, N. Cunningham. Third row: S. Shepardson, S. Van Voorhis, V. Palk, B. Girardot, D. Nossaman, H. Leatherman, B. Dalcero, A. Ziegler, B. Murray, E. Chadwick. Fourth row: J. Balderston, M. Rose, E. Estey, D. West, P. Bartell, J. Hall, B. McCallister, S. Durham, G. Schnipper, V. Mitchell, P. Parks. Fifth row: J. Wallace, R. Smith, E. McLaughlin, D. Varro, J. Roberts, R. Sylvester, S. Del Signore, C. Vanderhoof, E. Dascoll, J. Battin, D. Bowen.



BASKETBALL

Because of the heavy intra-mural schedule and varsity practice of the boys, the girls did not have much opportunity to play many games. The basketball games this year were all intra-mural.

No games were played with other schools. This year an exciting time was had by the girls who participated in these intra-mural activities.

The Seniors, co-captained by Nan Hubbard and Thelma Atkins, led their teams to victory. The Sophomores, led by Gerry Hand and Dawn Zukswert, surprised everyone by placing second. The Freshmen, headed by Diane Bowen and Denny West, came in third. The Juniors, captained by Ann Cerciello and Nancy Knevals, received an upset in the tournament. They placed fourth.

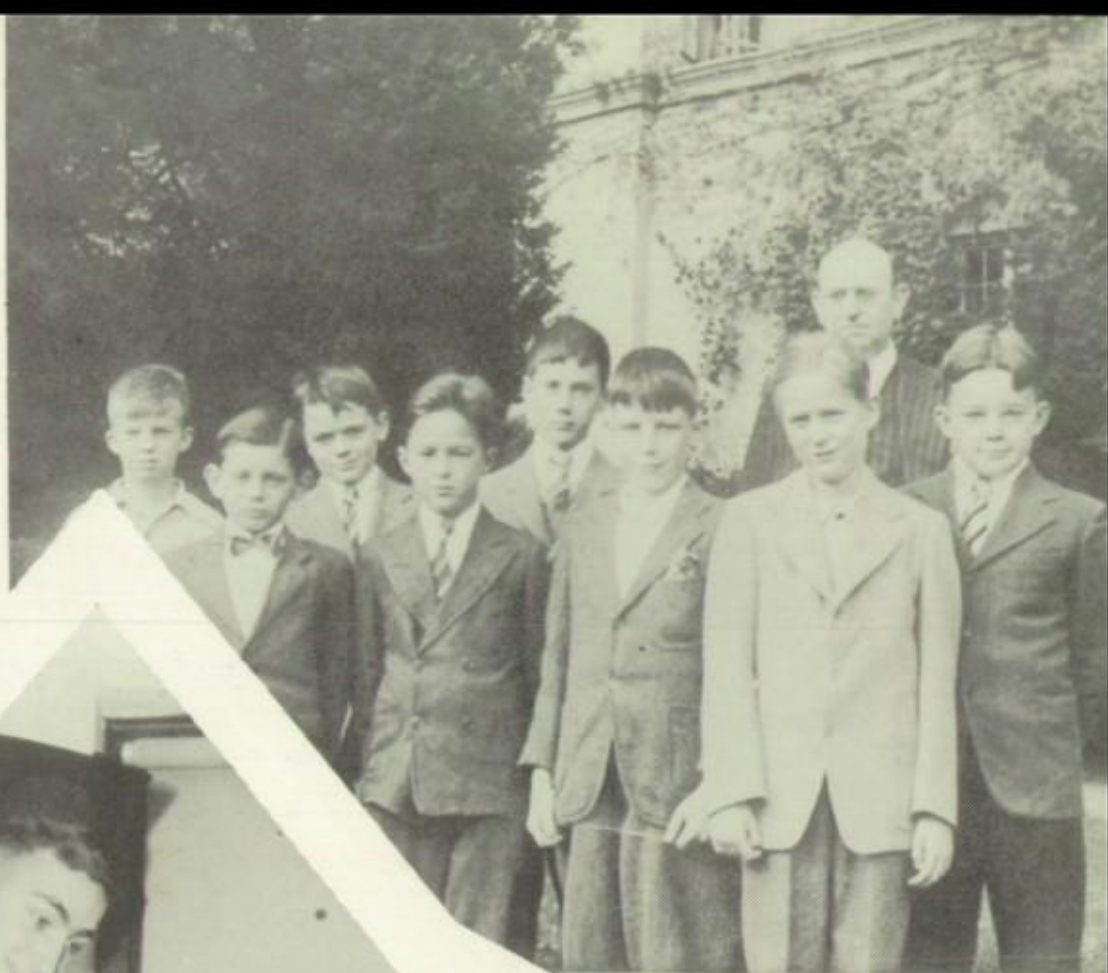
The girls found that intra-mural games were as much fun and just as competitive as the games with other schools.



SOPHOMORE-JUNIOR BASKETBALL

First row: H. Sipsky, E. Jocher, S. Pepper, I. Norton, M. Craig, J. Halbing, P. Palmer, A. Del Giudice, N. Knevals, A. Cerciello, S. Davidson, C. Adamson, S. Parker, M. Barnard, J. DeVelez, R. Sanderson. Second row: Mrs. McKay, E. Nielsen, C. Shaw, A. Wherry, P. O'Hanlon, O. Langford, J. McClintock, A. Apgar, J. Schwartz, M. Lewis, J. Fisher, M. Potter, M. McClement, D. Moore, I. Olander, J. Forsythe, N. Behre. Third row: G. Caprio, J. Weiss, D. Pikaart, M. Kohr, B. Doty, B. Bartell, J. Horne, A. Hetterly, M. Caughey, D. Zukswert, A. Schockley, E. Pielstick, P. Chambers, A. Daniher, Y. Jackson. Fourth row: P. Chaffee, M. Mercurio, M. Wood, V. Baldwin, J. Lowe, C. Stair, D. Fog, M. Hinds, J. Hand, C. Evans, S. Lare, H. Micone, M. Malackov, J. Prisco, B. Altamura. Fifth row: A. Poyck, M. Bruno, A. Troianello, S. Pelosi, W. Kinsman, L. Query, M. Smith, J. Wirths, B. Abraham, C. Petley, F. Swanson, R. Mitchell, V. Berthelson, M. Strickler.





ALL'S WELL THAT ENDS WELL!



Best of luck
to a swell guy
Frank

Dear Ned,
Lots of good fortune to a really
swell fellow. May the coming
years of your life be enjoyable
and prosperous.

Dear Ned,
Ever since "Jack-51" a
we spoke to each other
at the Beau in Arrow
you have teased me in
the hall. You and Dawn
are both swell kids and
like you both an awful lot
Jack in stuff
for ever
Libby 153

Dear Ned, the best
of luck and
success to a
wonderful guy.
Sincerely,
Kathie

Ned -
Hope you're had
fun this yr. Hope you
have fun next yr. and
the yr. after. as I said to
Dawn since you both will
be able to tell people legally,
grab a car and come down to P.S.
the lake and stay for a weekend. means love but
I have fun with Carol D. and sell to bring her
down + get over ambitious or amorous - can't write this
see you when your home next year - (hope this
doesn't strain
feelings)

Dear Ned everything
best of everything
to a real neat
guy. You + Dawn
look real
neat together.
Love it. Luck
Dodie

Buenos Días,
I have a lot
of fun & write this
be sure as soon as
summer to school. I
to get to see you in
be get to see you in
a airbag & take you
a ride. (I wonder you
undies un cazador de
muchachos

Dear Ned
Lits have some more
putting together
Box

Dear Ned -
Loads of luck
always to you.
Take good care of
yourself. See you
around.
Love Helen

Ned,
Success with all
the trimmings.
That's all
Helen

Dear Ned;
All kidding aside -
that's about all we
did this year! Set we
really fun knowing you
better - through mutual friends
here's hoping all goes well -
Jean

Dear Ned - let's get Mrs
By gosh yes - she has
done a lot of good. But I'll
us a little wonder what I'll
always save & fuck always -
Wicki Calder

Dear Ned -
take it easy with that good looking girl
and don't do anything but just of luck and
take it easy
Bob Carter

Dear Ned,
I think "we" have
the best class in
the school. Be good
and take care of
Helen, she's a swell
kid. Love, Willie

Dear Ned,
Lot of luck
to you in your
future years
at M. P. S.
Love Roberta Mitchell

Ned
Lots of luck.
See you in track
next year.
Richard Thompson

Dear Ned
I've been swell. Remember you. I've
had lots of fun with you and I'll
the time I begin know for good and
love you
Julie
Bolin

